

## President Forecasts Treasury Surplus In Budget Message

### Publishers Win In First Test Case

KANSAS CITY, MO., December 2.—(By the United Press).—The decedent case against the publishers of the Kansas City Journal-Post, growing out of publication of income tax payments, was sustained by Federal Judge Albert Reeves here today.

Walter S. Diegel, owner, and Ralph Ellis, managing editor of the newspaper, were indicted by a federal grand jury after the income tax had been published in both papers. They are at liberty on \$1,000 bond each.

Judge Reeves held the indictments, which charged illegal publication of income tax payments, violated the first amendment to the constitution of the United States guaranteeing freedom of speech and of the press.

The ruling means the case will not go to trial before Judge Reeves. Government attorneys were expected to carry the case to the United States supreme court for a final decision.

### Ohio G. O. P. House Solons To Caucus

COLUMBUS, O., December 2.—(By the Associated Press).—That Thursday or Friday, December 18 or 19, would be selected for the holding of the caucus of Republican members of the house of representatives, was indicated today as Representative Harry D. Silvers, of Preble county, concluded polling of the members. The majority favor meeting some day during the week of December 18.

Active candidates for the speakership are Allen O. McDonald, a Dayton attorney; Gilbert Morgan, a Cleveland attorney; Robert L. Rabe, a Tiffin newspaper manager; and Harry D. Silvers, of Preble county farmer.

Senator Joseph R. Gardner, of Cincinnati, is apparently without opposition for president pro-tempore of the senate.

Approximately a dozen candidates are seeking the position of sergeant-at-arms.

### Youth, 23, Boasis He Is the World's Worst Criminal

CINCINNATI, O., December 2.—(By the United Press).—Blasting that he is the world's worst criminal, A. E. Masters, 23, of Columbus, was arrested again today after escaping from the General Hospital in his night clothes.

Police were puzzled as to how Masters fled himself from the handcuffs by which he was chained to the bed, but the boy explained that locks were his "men."

After being arrested on indictments charging him with robbing several grocery stores, McGraws (signed blindness and hemorrhages and was sent to the hospital).

"I fooled every one," he said. "The best eye specialists thought I was blind and were going to operate. The doctors thought I had hemorrhages, too, but that was easy."

"I just took my gun with a knife and sawed the blood. Then I put salt on the wounds to make them heal. When I wanted to have a hemorrhage I would eat soap and vomit the blood. I ain't going to stay in jail long. I know too much about locks."

McMasters told a romantic story of crime which he said began when he left home in Tusculum, Ala., at the age of 13. He said there are 21 indictments pending against him throughout the country.

"I once planned to steal the jewels of a Chinese idol in Peking, but changed my mind when I learned every Chinese in the world would hunt me with knives. I don't like knives."

### HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS By J. P. Alley

THEY A HEAP O' DIFFUNCE  
'TIX' PREACHIN' TO FOLKS  
EN PREACHIN' AT 'EM!



### Prominent In News Dispatches



Three girls in the American embassy in Berlin are engaged to British officers. Here is one couple, Miss Frances Wabstad and Captain S. B. Cochrane.

The boy with the beard is Nicholas John Goudouris, once a merchant prince of the Near East and now living in London, who claims that he suggested the famous "Fourteen points" which Woodrow Wilson submitted to the Central Powers.



Introducing Adjutant Bonnet, France's aviation king, who says he will try to break the American record which is equivalent to 420 kilometers an hour. Bonnet recently traveled 389.89 kilometers an hour in France.

Edward L. Bader, mayor of Atlantic City, caught in a frolicsome moment. Edward is quite one of the boys when at the Atlantic City High School team is on the gridiron. Here he is decorated for the state championship game with Camden.



And here's another of those American-British alliances in our Berlin embassy—Miss Margaret Neil and Captain Sydney Daw of His Majesty's troops.

### Opposition to Coolidge Administration In Congress Depends on Whether Democrats Join Insurgent Republicans

(BY DAVID LAWRENCE)  
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WASHINGTON, December 2.—Six months of absence during which political lines have been definitely established have made the Congressional session which opened this week than was the case a year ago.

For, if there is one outstanding characteristic about the meeting of congress this time, it is the lack of uncertainty or sensation. Most everyone knows what is coming and no one expects anything to happen that isn't on the program.

First of all the time of the session is fixed. It can not go beyond the fourth of March. President Coolidge has publicly stated his policy of trying to get everything possible accomplished so as to avoid an extra session. Appropriation bills are the major task of the session. Little else is usually achieved at the short session and there are therefore ahead no great subjects for legislation like the tariff or income tax which might mean prolonged controversy. The effort to economize is to be Mr. Coolidge's principal relationship to congress.

International relations involve no affirmative action except a veto on the proposal to enter the International Court of Justice created by the League of Nations. There are still enough "irreconcilables" to talk the

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### BANDITS MURDER SEVEN WITH AXES; BURN EIGHTH ALIVE AND SHOOT VILLA OWNER

SIEGEN, GERMANY, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Bandits with axes murdered seven persons at a lonely villa near here today, burned the eighth alive and shot the owner of the villa, a quarry director named Angersheim, when he arrived on the scene of carnage. They fled into nearby woods without the loot they had come to obtain and posses are searching for them.

### INTRUDER MURDERS WOMAN AND WOUNDS HER HUSBAND

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., December 2.—(By the United Press).—An unidentified intruder climbed through a window at the residence of Dr. George T. Edwards, prominent physician of Fairbairn, Birmingham, Sunday, today, brutally murdered Mrs. Edwards and wounded her husband.

The slayer apparently chloroformed Mrs. Edwards, then crushed her skull with a hammer.

Dr. and Mrs. Edwards were sleeping in separate rooms.

The murderer first chloroformed Mrs. Edwards and was attempting to chloroform the physician when the latter awakened.

The two men grappled and the physician attempted to seize the man's pistol. The weapon exploded, practically tearing off Dr. Edwards' left hand.

Two children who slept in an adjoining room were not molested.

Besides chloroforming the murderer apparently used an acid, which burned Mrs. Edwards' neck. Two bottles were dropped as the intruder fled.

Dr. Edwards knew of no motive for the attack.

An old cap found in the yard of the Edwards' home, was the only clue left by the slayer.

### New Way to Hunt Wild Cats

LEAN, N. Y., December 2.—(By the United Press).—John Velawski won his bout with a bobcat last night.

While hunting upon his land, John Velawski was hunting for a bobcat when he was attacked by a wild cat. The cat was getting the worst of a battle with a huge wild cat and John seized the cat by the throat. The animal clawed and bit the hunter, but he held on until he strangled it.

### Koretz To Plead Guilty And Take Medicine For Swindle

CHICAGO, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Broken in health and spirit, Leo Koretz has decided to plead guilty and take his medicine for his \$2,000,000 oil swindle. State Attorney Robert E. Crowe made known to four judges, charging operation of a confidence game, entering with them sentences from one to 14 years. Crowe indicated.

By pleading guilty in the state courts, Koretz will escape—for the duration of his sentence—the Federal government. A Federal capias for the arrest of Koretz on a charge of misuse of the mails to defraud, is held over the confessed swindler's head. The capias will be held ready for service at the end of Koretz's term in jail.

Koretz is ready to accept whatever the courts deal out, and has made no effort to ask that the sentences on the four indictments run concurrently.

It was said, if Koretz carries out his plan not to fight the case, the court can impose a sentence as low as four years or as high as 50 years. The prisoner is suffering from diabetes and he feels he will never get out of jail alive, assistants to Crowe declared.

Koretz was quoted as stating he had decided to plead guilty to impress on his son, who is 15, and ill in a hospital, the fact of his committing crime.

"I'll take my medicine and show him that one cannot commit crime and get away with it," Koretz was quoted as stating.

### COLD AREA MOVES INTO WEST VIRGINIA

COLUMBUS, O., December 2.—(By the Associated Press).—Ohio had little relief this morning from the cold wave that has hovered over the state for the last four days. The mercury early today being only three or four degrees above yesterday's low mark for the season.

The extreme cold area which hung over the south central part of the state yesterday, moved southward into West Virginia, moved northward into Ohio. An official temperature of four degrees above zero was reported from Elkins in that state, which lacked one degree of equalling yesterday's national low mark at Wilmington, Ohio.

Official temperatures reported in Ohio this morning were: Columbus, 11; Toledo, 10; Cincinnati, 10, and Cleveland, 20. The United States weather bureau here predicted warmer weather for tomorrow.

### Congress To Honor Wilson December 15

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Congress will honor Woodrow Wilson on December 15.

The house today adopted a resolution introduced by Representative Garrett, of Tennessee, Democratic leader, setting aside that day for a joint session with the senate at which eulogies of the late president will be delivered.

The senate will act on the resolution tomorrow.

Pay Tribute To Composer  
BRUSSELS.—An impressive funeral procession witnessed by enormous crowds today escorted the body of Giacomo Puccini to the railroad station whence the celebrated composer's remains will be taken to Italy this evening. Puccini died Saturday afternoon, a heart attack following radium treatment for a throat ailment.

Seven Electricians Killed  
BERGUA, ITALY.—Seven electricians were killed at Colofrio today when a scaffolding they were working on, crashed to the ground.

Successors To Burns  
ELYRIA.—Burns' recital Saturday when his clothes caught fire from an open grate, caused the death here of Paul Galt, aged 2.

Gets Change of Venue  
CALDWELL.—A change of venue from Noble to Washington county has been granted George Seibenschus, charged with first degree murder in connection with the killing of Sheriff Charles W. Moore here.

### 15 Hurt On The Leviathan During Storm

NEW YORK, December 2.—(By the Associated Press).—Fifteen persons were injured in a storm which buffeted the Steamship Leviathan throughout most of her passage across the Atlantic. It was learned today when the big liner arrived from Southampton, 24 hours overdue.

The Leviathan, the largest vessel in the United States a Merchant Marine, suffered severely under the storm's lashings, reaching port with many of her port holes smashed and with considerable damage to her lower decks.

Captain Herbert Hudley reported that he had kept the bridge throughout the entire trip with the exception of one night. It was the worst passage of his

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### Now Place for Change

CLEVELAND, O., December 2.—(By the United Press).—Frank and Edna, Police Judge Joseph Sawicki he was trying to make change for a half dollar when he was arrested for stealing money from a poor boy in St. John's Cathedral today. Frank got 30 days.

### Galoshes for Horses

CLEVELAND, O., December 2.—(By the United Press).—Galoshes for horses.

That's what Dr. Lewis J. Dunn on the local Humane Society today asked teamsters to provide, to protect their horses' legs from the cold.

### Signs Check To Cemetery; Shoots Wife, Then Kills Self

SYRACUSE, N. Y., December 2.—(By the United Press).—After writing blank checks to the order of a local cemetery and to his daughter, Harry A. Klock, pursued his wife about their home with a revolver early today, shot and twice wounded her and then killed himself.

Mrs. Klock fled barefooted through snow to a neighbor's house.

Trouble between Klock and his wife, which had been smoldering for some time, flared up early today, according to the daughter, Edith. Entering Mrs. Klock's bedroom with drawn revolver he threatened to kill her. She screamed and ran into another bedroom, locking the door.

Klock followed, bursting in and firing three shots. Wounded in the hand, Mrs. Klock ran down stairs to telephone the police. Her husband slashed the telephone cord and fired again, striking her behind the ear. Still she had strength enough to run into the snow-covered street.

When police returned with her to the house, Klock lay dead, a bullet in his brain.

The table beside him held two checks, apparently made out before he returned home, one to the cemetery for funeral expenses, the other intended to convey the balance of his bank account to his daughter.

### Where's Yours?

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Enough hard money and bills in circulation in the United States to provide every inhabitant with \$94.20. Compensator of the Currency Commission says in its annual report today. This is a decrease of \$1.22 under the per capita circulation a year ago.

### BANK WINS IN CELEBRATED ENGLISH BLACKMAIL CASE; MORE SENSATIONS EXPECTED

LONDON, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Justice Darling gave judgment in favor of the Midland Bank of London, defendant in the "Mr. A" case. The verdict means that the bank need not make good the balance of a check deposited in the name of Charles Robinson, a bookmaker, who brought suit for \$825,000.

The sum in question was part of \$750,000 obtained from an Indian potentate, in a blackmail conspiracy. Charles Robinson and his wife Maude Robinson, were cleared of complicity in the plot. Two of the conspirators, Wm. Hobbs and Captain Charles Arthur, who was the Rajah's aide de camp, are under arrest.

Sir John Simon, for the bank and Lord Halsbury, for the plaintiff, argued before Justice Darling today on the findings of a jury which last week exonerated the Robinsons. Then the verdict for the defendant was given.

The outcome of the Robinson case had been anticipated since the jury's answers to certain questions had indicated the bank was not responsible to the bookmaker for the money obtained by blackmail.

London which got its greatest pre-war court thrill from the case, now is looking forward to possibly greater sensations, if and when Captain Arthur and Hobbs, the lawyer's clerk, are tried for larceny. Hobbs who acted as attorney for the conspirators and deposited nearly \$800,000 in a Paris bank, is in jail charged with larceny in accepting goods stolen abroad.

The Rajah in question was trapped in a Paris hotel. With Mrs. Maude Robinson and paid \$750,000 to keep the matter from becoming public. Maude, Noel Newton, an ex-officer who has disappeared, posed as Mrs. Robinson's husband. It is understood he is being sought on the continent.

Visiting British East Africa  
LONDON.—The Duchess of York left today for Paris, enroute on her official visit to British East Africa.

### "Baby Mine"

MAW WAS READING 'BOUT  
A BOY HAVING AN OPERATION  
ON HIS HEAD TO MAKE HIM  
GOOD—WELL, POP OPERATES  
ON ME IN ANOTHER PLACE



### Urges Drastic Governmental Economy For The Next Year

(BY DALE VAN EVERY)  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 2.—(By the United Press).—President Coolidge in his annual budget message laid before congress today forecast a \$373,741,714 treasury surplus at the end of the next fiscal year and urged a program of drastic governmental economy to permit another cut in federal taxes.

"I am for economy," the president declared. "If we continue the campaign for economy, we will pave the way for further reduction in taxes."

Mr. Coolidge, however, proposed that consideration of further tax reduction legislation be deferred until the effect of the present revenue law has become more apparent.

The budget of governmental expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, transmitted by the president, totaled \$3,287,551,378, a decrease of \$266,532,430 below estimates for the current fiscal year. Receipts were estimated at \$3,641,295,092, an increase of \$30,323,795, which with the \$307,584,480 surplus estimated at the end of the current fiscal year, would bring the unusually large surplus forecast by Mr. Coolidge 10 months hence.

"For those things which we are now required to do, we are fast reducing our expenditures to a minimum consistent with efficient service," said the president. "We have before us an estimated surplus of \$373,000,000 for the current fiscal year and \$373,000,000 for the next fiscal year."

"Shall we embark upon new projects involving expenditures which will prevent the accumulation of these expected surpluses, or shall we continue the campaign for economy? I am for economy."

### Economy Means Tax Cuts

"If we continue the campaign for economy we will pave the way for further reduction in taxes. This reduction cannot be effected immediately. Before it is undertaken we should know more definitely by actual operation what our revenues will be under our present tax law. But the knowledge of our revenue under the existing law will avail us nothing if we embark upon any new large expenditure program."

Mr. Coolidge pointed out that the actual treasury surplus at the end of the last fiscal year was \$175,297,000 higher than treasury officials had estimated, and he advanced the hope that future surpluses might exceed even the estimates he was presenting to congress.

"The confidence of the chief executive and the congress that our revenues could be safely reduced has been fully justified," said the president. "The situation which ended June 30, 1924, was closed with a surplus of receipts over expenditures of \$505,306,000."

"We have now completed five months of the current fiscal year which ends June 30, 1925. This affords an index of the probable reduction in our revenues under the current tax law. It also affords an index of the limits within which our expenditures can be kept under the continuing policy of economy. A revision of the estimate of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, indicates today that the receipts will be \$8,601,968,207 and the expenditures \$8,534,083,508."

### Does Your Bank Book Show It?

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press).—The cost of living in the United States was cheaper this year than last.

According to statistics compiled by the Bureau of Labor statistics department of labor, there was a decrease of 17 per cent in the cost of food stuffs in the country generally as compared with prices which prevailed in 1923. However, during the period between June and September this year, prices increased 5 per cent.

### Found 'Em On Porch

CLEVELAND, O., December 2.—(By the United Press).—Mrs. Katie Pasternak didn't have to "Pick a Peck of Pickled Peppers."

She found 13 cans of peppers on her porch today but turned them over to the police.

### Gretchen Helps In Campaign

BERLIN.—Pretty blond Gretchen button holding passers-by, pleading for votes and distributing campaign literature are factors brought in for the first time in a German campaign being actively used in Prussia as the last week of the campaign begins.

Japs Support U. S.  
GENEVA.—Japan's delegation to the anti-doping conference today expressed its support of American contention that the conference is competent to regulate the production of raw opium and cocaine leaves.

GENEVA.—Fair and warmer tonight. Wednesday increasing cloudiness and warmer.

The extremes in the local temperature today were: High, 42; low, 10. The temperature a year ago today was: High, 53; low, 21.

### Billy Butt-In

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**ADDED ATTRACTIONS**  
Grace and Turner in "Eight Minutes on The Links"

—ALSO—  
Joe Martin in "The Monkey Mixup"

—AND—  
**EASTLAND NEWS**

## Henry M. Dawes Indicates Desire To Resign as Comptroller of Currency

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—Henry M. Dawes has indicated to President Coolidge his decision to resign soon as comptroller of the currency.

His resignation, however, has not yet been placed in the president's hands and consequently no special consideration has been given to selection of a successor. He is a brother of the vice president-elect.

## Chillicothe Plant Is Damaged By Fire

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 2.—(By the Associated Press)—A fire Monday gutted the rear of the Chillicothe Milling company's Eastern avenue elevator. The blaze threatened to destroy the entire plant. Water damage constitutes the greater part of the loss.

## "Thrift is Such a Simple Thing— and it Means So Much"

It is the foundation of success in business, of contentment in the home, of standing in society.

Thus spoke Russell Sage, and his millions and influence, founded on the thrift he practiced in his early years, prove it.

Your thrift account at this institution gains absolute safety and

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Gallia Street On The Square

## Former Mayors of New Boston Attend Services

Ohio Avenue Christian church at Kent was the first mayor of the village New Boston was filled Sunday night. Mayor V. R. Bierley was unable to attend on account of illness. Several of the present official family were present. A special song service added much to the service. Last week the New Boston high school football team attended in a body and next Sunday night the Girls' Glee club numbering 25 of New Boston high school will attend.

## Ironton Company May Take Over Cecil Hotel

IRONTON, Dec. 2.—Following the collapse of the negotiations which were being carried on by Messrs. Hahn and John Donaherty of Ashland for the purchase of the Cecil Hotel property on Center street, it was learned Saturday that an Ironton man was actively engaged in the formation of a company with the object of purchasing the hotel.

## Institute to Be Held In The Empire Grange Hall; Program

The annual Farmers' Independent Institute at Empire Grange Hall, Powellville Road, will open with Thursday evening's session, starting at nine o'clock. There will be five sessions, the Institute to come to a close Friday afternoon.

L. A. Kaufman of the animal husbandry department, O. S. U., Mrs. James Devol, home economics expert of Marietta and Stanley Porter, county agent of Lawrence county, will be the main speakers. The program for Thursday:

Thursday, 9:00 A. M. School Session  
Music—Prof. L. M. Parsons and Dan Van Gorder, Portsmouth.  
Getting Ahead—W. F. Gaben.

Achievement—Mrs. James Devol.  
Music.  
Appointment of Committees.  
Noon.  
Thursday, 1:00 P. M.  
Responsibility—Mrs. Devol.  
Discussion—Miss Leona Oakes.  
Music.  
Recognition of Club Work—R. M. Thomas.  
My Trip to the State Fair—Martin Hammerstein and Prater Cordill.  
Thursday, 7:00 P. M.  
Music—Wood Orchestra.  
Better Things—Mrs. Devol.  
Solo—Miss Anna Staker.  
My Duty to the Community—L. A. Kaufman.

## UNITED WOOLEN MILLS AT PARKERSBURG DESTROYED

PARKERSBURG, W. VA., December 2.—Fire in the Parkersburg business district today destroyed two buildings and the plant of the United Woolen Mills with a loss estimated at more than \$200,000.

## Edge Concludes Compromise Plan For Postal Salaries Increase Bill

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press)—Senator Edge, New Jersey, Republican, announced today he had concluded his compromise recommendations for the postal salaries increase bill which was vetoed at the last session by President Coolidge because it provided no method of raising the revenue for the \$63,000,000 increase in salaries it proposed.

## Maintenance of Way Employees On 24 Railroads Granted Their Demands

CHICAGO, December 2.—(By the United Press)—Maintenance of way employees of 24 railroads, including most of the Great Trunk systems of the nation, today were awarded their request for time and a half wages for holidays and over time after ten hours, by the United States Railroad Labor Board.

## Minister Scores Rockefeller For His Riches and Religious Views

NEW YORK, December 2.—(By the United Press)—The Rockefeller money is the greatest curse that rests today upon the Baptist denomination, Dr. John Roach Straton, fundamental pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, told the annual meeting of the Baptist Bible Union of North America.

Rockefeller wealth "through the Industrial University of Chicago and the International Union, Theological Seminary of New York, is doing more to blight us than all other forces combined," Dr. Straton said.

Dr. Straton attacked John D. Rockefeller Jr.'s address before his Bible class at the Park Avenue Baptist Church Sunday in which Rockefeller said that "adherence to the literal interpretation of the scriptures is increasingly less possible in view of the discoveries of science."

"When Rockefeller reflects upon the glorious religious and social life that this miserable modern thing is a far cry from the simple, pure and strong, that is due for a rebirth and I am going to reply to his amazing statements next Sunday evening from my pulpit," Dr. Straton declared.

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Men's \$2.00 extra heavy gray coat sweaters with big collars 95c and 2 pockets. Special at

**Men's Union Suits**  
Don't shiver this winter. Buy one of these \$2.00 ribbed fleeced Union Suits at

**Moleskin Pants**  
Men's \$3.00 heavy moleskin pants, made with flaps on both pockets, belt loops and cuffs. Special at

**Men's Wool Suits And Overcoats**  
\$30.00 All Wool Suits and Overcoats, smart new styles for men and young men. Think of it. A signed guarantee with every garment. Special at

**Men's Welt Shoes**  
Men's \$5.00 Goodyear Welt Dress Shoes or Oxfords with rubber heels. Guaranteed every part solid leather. Special at

**Mill Shoes**  
Men's \$4.00 mill shoes, made with belting soles and heels, special at

**Army Shoes**  
Men's \$5 tan army shoes, Goodyear welt and rubber heels. Special at

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### Army Shoes

Men's \$5 tan army shoes, Goodyear welt and rubber heels. Special at

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## "Lighnin'", One of Greatest Dramas Ever Produced in New York at High School Tonight



**BARNEY GILMORE**  
He plays the role of the Reno judge in "Lighnin'" which opens a two days' engagement at the high school tonight.

That a cordial welcome awaits Bill Jones, the vampire vandilite across the Reno judge and the other well remembered characters in "Lighnin'" is attested by the heavy advance sale for the engagement of the record-smasher, which opens at the high school tonight.

## Ironton Telephone Company Seeks to Boost Its Rates

IRONTON, O., Dec. 2.—The Home Telephone Company has filed with the State Public Utilities Commission an application for increased rates on all classes of local service effective January 1, 1925.

The following increases are asked by the company:  
Independent business phones, now \$4.00; new rate \$5.00.  
Two party line business phones \$4.25; this is a new service as all business phones are now independent.

Independent residence phone, now \$2.25; new rate 2.50.  
Two party line residence phone now \$1.50; new rate \$2.00.

## Second Quarter Opens

Second quarter term of the Portsmouth College of Business opened Monday morning after the Thanksgiving recess.

## INDEPENDENTS NOT TO BLOCK THIS CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press)—Independents will continue peaceful protest against the administration program, but will make no effort to impede legislation or hinder congress into an extra session.

## Coolidge Not To Spend Xmas In Vermont

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—President Coolidge authorized the announcement that he has no intention of visiting his home at Plymouth, Vermont, during the winter months.

The statement was made in connection with reports current in Vermont that he would spend the holiday there with his father. Mr. Coolidge hopes, on the other hand, to have his father spend the Christmas season at the White House.

## No Tags on Machine; Local Couple Arrested

CHILLICOTHE, O., Dec. 2.—Homer Turner, Hillsboro, and Dora Powell, Portsmouth, were arrested here for operating machines without license tags. They were released under \$10 bond and ordered to appear before Mayor Minshall.

The presence of ALBUMEN in the urine is considered such a positive sign of serious kidney disease that life insurance companies refuse applications whose analysis shows albumen. The fact that the disease may be present a long time before producing symptoms, noticeable to the patient adds to the seriousness of Brights disease.

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### THE GUMPS—PLEASE REMIT

IF CONGRESS GETS AS MANY BILLS AS I'M GETTING THIS MONTH I'LL BET THEY'LL HOLD AN EXTRA SESSION I CAN SYMPATHIZE WITH THE BIRD WHO TRIED TO KEEP THE TIME FROM COMING IN— HIS JOB WAS A CINCH COMPARED TO THIS—

SOME PEOPLE THINK LOVE MAKES THE WORLD GO ROUND BUT I GIVE THE CREDIT TO RILLS— I WISH I LIVED IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS WHEN IF YOU WANTED A PAIR OF SHOES YOU GAVE THE SHOE-MAKER A SACK OF POTATOES OR A HAM AND SETTLED THE TRANSACTION— THE FIRST OF THE MONTH DIDN'T CAUSE ANY SORROW THEN—

WHEN YOU'RE BORN THE DOCTOR SENDS HIS BILL— AND AFTER THAT LIFE IS ONE BILL AFTER ANOTHER TILL YOU ARE READY TO LIE DOWN AND DIE WITH A SMILE OF RELIEF— MY IDEA OF HEAVEN IS A PLACE WHERE BILLS AND BILL-COLLECTORS ARE AS WELCOME AS A BLACK CAT AT A WEDDING—

SIDNEY SMITH

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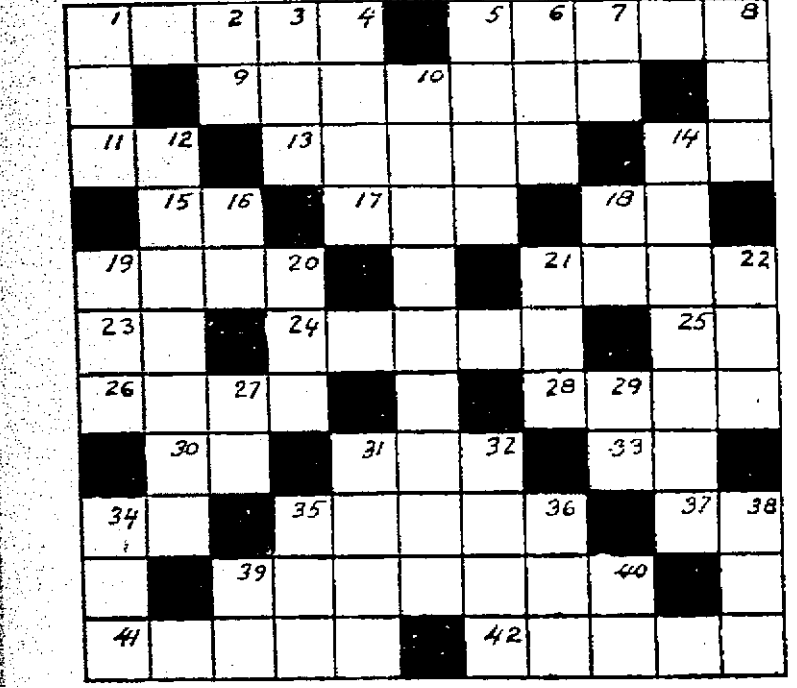
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**Huntington To Stage Post-Season Game**  
HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Dec. 2.—The 1924 football season in Huntington is not over after all. Hot Shum, coach of the Huntington High School team, announced last night that he has scheduled a post-season game with the strong Jackson, Mich., high school eleven. The contest will be staged at Marshall Field, Saturday, December 6, at 2:30 o'clock.

**Now We Have With Us the Basket Ball Season**  
Coach McComb, of the High School, announced Monday that many of his charges has reported for basketball practice and a real team is looked for again this season. Although good many of the letter men have graduated from school, there is an abundance of material and with work they will have a good chance at the Southeastern Ohio Championship again this year. The official roll opened today for candidates.

**To-day's Cross Word Puzzle**  
A SYMMETRICAL SYMPHONY—Twister No. 38

WHEN you have solved No. 10 vertical in today's puzzle, you will have gone a long way towards completing the answer to this brain twister. None of the words are unusual or obsolete. See what you can do toward filling in the white spaces. If you are unable to complete the picture you will find the answer properly spelled out in tomorrow's paper. The horizontal and vertical word descriptions and synonyms for today's crash are appended.



- HORIZONTAL**
- 1—noise
  - 2—heroic poems
  - 3—knifed
  - 11—father
  - 13—sailing vessel
  - 14—part of the verb to be
  - 15—initials of a famous American
  - 17—enjoyment
  - 18—article
  - 19—heavenly body
  - 21—singing voice
  - 23—that is (abbr.)
  - 24—warmth
  - 25—termination of many words denoting agent
  - 26—congealed particles of water
  - 28—sea eagle
  - 30—act
  - 31—beseech
  - 33—editor (abbr.)
  - 34—pronoun
  - 35—prescribed amounts
  - 37—affirmative (Spanish)
  - 39—cooked
  - 41—sends cut
  - 42—go stealthily
- VERTICAL**
- 1—head covering
  - 2—like
  - 3—thorough-fares (abbr.)
  - 4—equal parts
  - 5—black
  - 6—energy (colloq.)
  - 7—name (abbr.)
  - 8—distress signal
  - 10—unlimited
  - 12—in present
  - 14—means
  - 15—Egyptian sun god
  - 18—man's nickname
  - 19—nickname for a relative
  - 20—crude
  - 21—part of verb "to be"
  - 22—native metal
  - 27—a honey eating bird of Hawaii
  - 29—action in law
  - 31—reptiles
  - 32—takes hold
  - 34—employ
  - 35—us &
  - 36—Japanese coin
  - 38—annoy
  - 39—New England state (abbr.)
  - 40—off in phrases and proper names

Herewith is solution to twister No. 37

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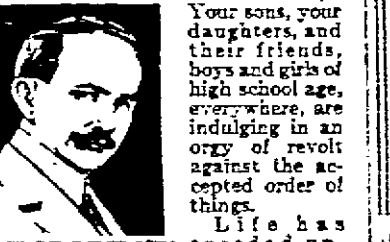
**Say Men!**  
Do you realize that if your shoes are properly fitted that you get more service, more comfort and a hundred percent better appearance? You don't believe it? Alright—I can prove it. Just come in and allow me to select a shape that's adapted to your foot and I'll fit you in something you'll be proud of. Here's a hot one, right off the griddle, made of sunset tan calf, blucher oxford, two rows of stitching around the sole and rubber heels—absolutely all solid leather throughout. Black bickory calf, same style if you want them. A real oxford for a real guy.

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JUDGE LINDSEY speeded up. Youth has kept pace. You and your generation have stood still. Youth is in the saddle, but it has not yet learned to control its fiery steed. Youth, intoxicated with the heady wine of independence, is riding to a fall that will shake the nation to its very foundations if it is not checked in time.

**Judge Ben B. Lindsey Tells You the Facts**  
Denver is a typical American city. What is going on among the youth of Denver is going on in exactly the same degree right here at home.

Already the revolt of youth in Denver which is like the revolt of youth everywhere, threatens changes in our social and family life. The exact details of the manner in which they are questioning the institution of marriage and our social code may surprise you but you cannot doubt their truth. They come from no less an authority than Judge Ben B. Lindsey, who knows what he is talking about.

Judge Lindsey, for twenty-five years Judge of the Juvenile Court of Denver, Colo., says "I am in constant confidential touch with scores of boys and girls of high school age, they tell me their story, and they don't stop with themselves. From an ordinary case, selected at random, I can uncover a thousand."

**Why Children Fear to Tell Their Parents**

A sweet and beautiful high school girl from one of Denver's most respected families summed up the situation thus: "You see, Judge," she said, "after admitting acts that would have sent her parents into nervous breakdown, 'they don't know much about us. They think they do, but they don't, and it wouldn't do to tell them.' I wouldn't have them know for the world what I have been telling you, because all the kids would get expelled."

**Facts from Actual Cases**

He deals in facts, facts and more facts. He quotes real cases. You cannot doubt the unbelievable things he shows you because the proof is there too plain, too positive to be denied.

But he goes further. He does more than paint a terrible picture. He points out the remedy that explains the methods that he himself has developed during twenty-five years of dealing with rebellious youth, methods that have been gloriously successful.

**DECEMBER Physical Culture**  
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**LEGAL NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has made application to the Public Utilities Commission of the State of Ohio for a license for hauling in Secoto and Lawrence Counties with automobile truck.  
Set for December 11, 1924.  
E. A. BARNEY, Attorney.  
Acknowledged in my presence this 2nd day of November, 1924.  
H. A. JAMES, Justice of the Peace.  
Advertisement Nov. 25-6 Times.

**NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENT DEFENDANT**  
Ollie H. Cooper, whose last known address is unknown, will take notice that on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1924, the Circuit Court of the State of Ohio, in and for the County of Secoto, Ohio, being case No. 10323, praying for a divorce from the said Ollie H. Cooper on the grounds of willful absence and gross neglect of duty. Said case will be for hearing on or after January 3th, A. D. 1925.  
SKELETON and TIDD, Attorneys for Plaintiff.  
Advertisement Nov. 25-6 Times.

**NOTICE**  
William Wright, whose last known address was No. 1029 Darien Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will take notice that on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1924, Edna Wright filed her petition in the Common Pleas Court of Secoto County, Ohio, being case number 19223, praying for divorce, alimony and custody of minor child. Said case will be for hearing on or after January 3th, A. D. 1925.  
SKELETON and TIDD, Attorneys for Plaintiff.  
Advertisement Nov. 25-6 Times.

**ANNUAL MEETING OF SCIOTO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY**  
at Court House, Portsmouth, is called for 1:30 December 12th for the purpose of electing Directors for the coming year. Every man or woman in the county may become a member of the Association by purchase of a membership ticket for \$1.00. This ticket also admits holder to Fair every day. Every citizen is urgently requested to join. Tickets will be on sale during this meeting.  
CLYDE BRANT, Secy.

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The Christmas Store

**GIFTS TO THE HOME ARE TREASURED ONES**  
Cheery Christmas on the way! And the store's brimful of treasures for the home. Exquisite china, brilliant glassware and handy electrical appliances will enter many households at holiday time. Delighted hostesses will send hearty thank-yous for home riches such as these, which you may purchase at very reasonable prices now.

**Useful, Practical Gifts**  
**Pyrex Baking Dishes**  
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Here's a gift that will please every housewife. Pyrex glass baking dishes are the best the market affords.  
**Pyrex Glass Pie Plates 75c up**  
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Beautiful glassware in cut, etched and clear designs. Water pitchers, candy jars, bon-bon dishes, fruit bowls, compots, low and high foot sherberts, stem goblets, etc. Prices very reasonable considering the fine quality.  
Heisey's Ice Tea, Low and High Foot Sherberts and High Stem Goblets, in cut and etched designs. \$2.75 to \$5.40 for six.  
**Heisey's Iridescent Glassware**  
Beautiful iridescent effects in green, purple and blue. Low Foot Sherbert and Serving Plates to match \$1.50 each. Ideal for serving refreshments at bridge parties, etc.  
Downstairs Store

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Everything imaginable to amuse the children. Dolls, games, books, automobiles, electric trains, doll furniture, wagons, kitchen cabinets, mechanical toys, kiddie cars, go-carts, steam engines, etc.  
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An ideal gift for the little housekeeper. Exceptional values for quick cleaning.  
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Christmas Tree Ornaments in large variety.  
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A \$4.90 Outfit for \$3.50  
The outfit consists of:  
1 Johnson Weighted Floor Polishing Brush...\$3.50  
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"We gladly recommend the Sweeper-Vac because of its high record of efficiency. The Vac-Mop is the link that connects it to perfection."



# Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, women, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.



Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 18 and am going with a boy of 18. Dolly, he has wonderful eyes and hair and looks well in his clothes, but he has a terrible disposition. He is snobbish and insulting at times, but in spite of this I like him. Dolly, I have been going with him for over a year. We have lots of quarrels and quit, but he always comes back when he gets over his pouting spells. Dolly, will I ever land this man and can I ever break him of this unbecoming way? —LOUISE.

You may land him if you use the right kind of bait, but I doubt if you will ever be able to change his personality. A man who is snobbish and insulting before marriage will be the same and, perhaps, worse after marriage. However, if you like the fellow, you would not want to be satisfied with a tame lover or husband.

Dear Dolly—I am a young girl in my teens and am in love with a boy just a few years older. He has asked me if I like him and I haven't told him as yet. Dolly, he wants me to marry him in the near future. Should I do this? I may never find another man who wants me or whom I like so well. Dolly, my mother is dead and I have no home, and that makes

me a good time. There is also a more or less jealousy, as a husband who is nearly twice as old as his wife is always fearful that some young man will take her away from him. If I were you I would wait a few years before deciding to marry this man. It would be all right to give him an expensive present and to accept one from him.

William C.—If you can't find a wife to suit you among your friends and acquaintances, I am sure you will never find one sight unseen that will suit you. I think you are wise to "fear you will have to find that lady yourself as I have no women on my list who would have a man on a bet, but I had to advertise for a wife. They figure that a worthwhile man of 38 would have been grabbed long ago. That is, if he wanted a wife.

A Worried Friend—If you will send me the name and address of the person in need of the articles mentioned I will turn it over to the proper authorities, and see what we can do about helping her. It is like working in the dark or running up a "blind alley" to try to do anything without the names and addresses of the people you are trying to help.

WANT TO KNOW.  
Sixteen years is not too much difference in your ages if you are old for your age and he is young for his. The main objection is that when a man of that age gets married, he wants to settle down by his own fire, and enjoy himself, while his young bride wants to step out and

## SOCIAL NEWS

The I. T. O. Class of Trinity M. E. Church taught by Mrs. M. E. Kautz, will meet on Friday afternoon at two o'clock, at the home of Mrs. John Stitt on Seloto Trail. A passing party will be held at this time. No gift to exceed twenty-five cents.

Joseph A. Franz of 601 Market street has resumed his studies at Ohio State University, Columbus, after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Franz of 601 Market street.

Miss Elizabeth Ruhlman and Messrs. William Hildebrand and Robert Ruhlman have returned from Columbus, where they motored for Thanksgiving to attend the Hartman theater and also a dance.

Miss Grace Kirby, Auditor of the U. S. Veterans Bureau at Ft. Thomas, and Miss Louetta Ebner, of Sandusky, O., who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kirby, left today for Cincinnati.

Those having donations for the bazaar to be given in connection with the turkey supper on Thursday evening in Bigelow church are asked to bring them to the church by tomorrow evening, if possible. Numbers for the supper will be given out at 4:30 o'clock on Thursday evening and serving will begin at five o'clock. A choice menu has been prepared for the supper and those who have not made reservations or secured tickets should do so at once.

The meeting of the Hope Circle Class of the Calvary Baptist church which was to have been held this evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Justice, has been postponed until a later date.

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Mrs. Frances McMahon of Grimes avenue was tendered a very pleasant surprise Saturday evening when a number of relatives and friends assembled there to help celebrate her birthday anniversary. The affair was arranged by her daughter, Miss Virginia McMahon and was a complete surprise to the honor guest. Mrs. McMahon is the youngest of a family of nine children and she and her sister, Mrs. Mary Mohler, of Findlay street, who is the eldest, are the only surviving members of the family. The evening was delightfully informal, the time being spent in reminiscence and discussing bygone events, as well as present affairs. At ten o'clock the guests were invited into the dining-room, where they were served with a three course lunch. The table was prettily appointed for the occasion and centered with a birthday cake mounted with sixteen candles, and covers were laid for Mrs. Frances McMahon, Mrs. Mary Mohler, Mrs. J. B. Moore, Mrs. Mary Burns, Mrs. Mary Fiegele, Mrs. Albert H. Bridwell and daughter, Mary Jane, Mrs. C. H. Chase, Mrs. John M. Doerr and daughter, Miss Josephine Doerr, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. P. M. Hahbert.

Miss McMahon was assisted by her two sisters, Mrs. A. Bridwell and Mrs. C. H. Chase in serving the guests. Mrs. McMahon received many beautiful presents in honor of the happy event.

Local relatives received word of the marriage of Miss Huberta Alexander Bernhardt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Adams Dunkel, and Mr. Ellis Taylor Prince, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Prince of 632 Seventh street. The ceremony took place in Pittsburgh, Pa., on Thanksgiving Day. The young couple will be at home to their friends at 504 Lloyd street, Pittsburgh, after December 10th. Mr. Prince is a former Portsmouth resident and is at present employed as a railway mail clerk, with headquarters in Pittsburgh. He is also an ex-employee of the

Mr. and Mrs. George Holt (Elizabeth Tipton), a bride and groom of recent date, have returned to their home in Huntington, W. Va., after a week's visit with relatives in this city. While here they were tendered an old-fashioned belling at the home of Mrs. Ella Tipton. They were also presented with a shower of beautiful gifts by their many friends in this city. They are both former residents of Portsmouth.

Miss Helen Fisher left today for her home in Pasadena, California, after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Suter of Kentland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Suter of Kentland avenue had as week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Adam Fisher and son Harry, Mrs. Marie Riegleberger and children, Esther, Robert, Ralph and Philip of Dayton, Ohio, and Miss Helen Fisher of Pasadena, California.

Olin Manning has resumed his studies at Ohio University after spending the Thanksgiving vacation with home folks.

Miss Isabel Morgan will receive the members of the T. S. G. Club at her home on Baird avenue tomorrow evening.

Group 10 of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lee Young, 1310 Park avenue. A passing party will be a feature of the social hour and all members are urged to attend.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Grandview Avenue Christian church will meet at the church tomorrow evening in business and social session. The election of officers will be held at this time and all members are urged to be present. Visitors will also be welcome.

Mrs. Frank Aiken and daughters, Miss Katherine and Roberta Barlow, have returned to their home in Columbus after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Hancock of Offshore street. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Hancock who will visit them for a week.

Miss Ruth Lockhart has returned from Oxford, Ohio, where she visited college friends during Thanksgiving week.

Miss Jennie Crain of Carey's Run is visiting Miss Pearl DePriest of Rhodes avenue, New Boston.

Mrs. Blanche Bond is ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon DePriest of Rhodes avenue, New Boston.

Miss Dorothy Smith of Secent street and Oakland avenue is spending a week with college friends at Ashburg College, Williams, Ky.

The Jovial Club will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Corbell, 1311 McNeill avenue.

Miss Anna Mager has returned to Ohio University, Athens, to resume her studies after a Thanksgiving visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Blazer, of High street.

Mrs. Philip Gahm of Jackson is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gahm of Baird avenue.

Group 8 of Trinity M. E. Church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Willis. A passing party will be a feature of the meeting, and all members are urged to attend.

The Cornerstone Class of Mary M. E. Church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. P. A. Cross, 1111 Clay street. The assistant hostesses will include Mrs. C. S. Kent, Miss J. D. Jordan and Miss Fannin.

The Judge Blair Bible Class of the Second Presbyterian church will hold a bazaar this evening in the church basement. Attractive hand-worked articles will be offered for sale. A chicken supper will be served in connection with the bazaar.

Miss Carrie Pfarr and brother John Pfarr and their guest, Miss Pfarr's room-mate, Miss Harriet Smoler of Kane, Pa., have returned to Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, after spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Pfarr of Lincoln street.

Mrs. Adam Bauer has returned to her home in South Webster after a week end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bauer of Seloto Trail.

Miss Helen Carl of Second street has returned from Columbus where she spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Bauer has resumed her studies at Ohio State University after spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bauer of South Webster.

Miss Edith Bloomfield of Second street is spending several days in Dayton.

William Tripp has returned to Ohio State University, having spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tripp of Second street.

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Kellogg's Bran has a delicious nut-like flavor. Quite different from ordinary bran, unpalatable. You will like it as a cereal, sprinkled on other cereals, cooked with hot cereals, or in the recipes given on every package.

Get two tablespoonsful of Kellogg's Bran every day—in chronic cases, with every meal. Made in Battle Creek. Sold by all grocers.

Mrs. C. N. Smith's class of Trinity M. E. church will hold a meeting this evening at 7:30 at the home of Miss Elizabeth Farmer, 1850 Highland avenue. All members are urged to be present for the transaction of important business.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glockner and family, of Sixth street, motored to Huntington, W. Va., Saturday for a brief visit.

The Clio Club will be entertained this evening at the home of Miss Gertrude Elliott, 1829 Summit street.

Edgar Hamer was honored, Sunday evening at a dinner given at the Queen City, the occasion being his birthday. Those present were Misses Nellie Hinkle, Gertrude Combs, Helen Shupe, Marie Payne and Esther Genter; Messrs. Elmer Bolander and John Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. Hamer.

Mrs. Loren Cunningham, of 1816 Grand street, will entertain the King's Daughters of Franklin Avenue M. E. church this evening for a business and social session.

The Best Ever class at the Second Presbyterian church will hold a meeting this evening at her home of Mrs. Elmer Hingsen, 2024 Twentieth street.

Mrs. Joseph Fauth will be hostess to the members of the Mysotis Club tomorrow afternoon at her home on Baird avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren Church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. All members are urged to be present and participate in the passing party that will be held during the social hour.

Aravel Marley, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Marley, of 1413 Eleventh street, is recovering from an attack of the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Kennedy who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Griffin of Fourth street will return tomorrow to their home in Columbus, having motored down for Thanksgiving.

The meeting of the Seloto Bridge Club, scheduled for Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hayden Bush of Second street, has been postponed until a later date.

The King's Daughters and Sons of Trinity church will meet on Friday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Wendelken on Highland avenue. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Nell Smith, Mrs. Homer White, Mrs. Arthur (but not Mrs. Carl Harris, and Miss Corn Swaby. A special Christmas program will be given at this time and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dadosky and buy daughter, Joan, have returned to their home in Bluefield, W. Va., after spending the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Franz of 601 Market street, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dadosky of 511 Glover street.

The Bazaar to be held by the L. A. to O. R. C. has been postponed until December 15th. All conductors, their families and friends are invited to attend the joint installation of officers of the O. R. C. No. 351 and L. A. to O. R. C. No. 202 on Sunday afternoon, December 14th, in Brady's Hall.

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## ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

## A RIDDLE FOR LADY LOCKET



How Could You Lose Your Pocket, Please?" asked Little Boy Blue

"What is the next riddle?" asked Nick.  
"The Riddle Lady looked wise," "You should be able to guess it right quickly," she said. "Or any little boy, indeed?"  
And she began:  
"Little Tommy Tucker,  
Eats the queerest supper,  
Doesn't care a ginger-snap for white bread and butter,  
Fish-bones for breakfast, at dinner—  
That a knife,  
How he keeps from choking, I can't see for my life."  
"Shuttle-cocks and battle-doors,  
Hammered and apple cores,  
Tommy loves to stuff as fast as he can wish—  
Buttons and washing-bones, top-strings and colored stones;  
Such a greedy appetite! He never has enough."  
"Nothing but a tummy," Is this foolish dummy,  
Nothing but a tummy and a great big mouth,  
Marbles and whistles, a beetle and a distle,  
Gorging like the Moon Man a-hunting for the south."  
"Oh, goodness!" said Lady Locket. "I know what that is and I'm not a boy, either."  
"What is it?" asked the Riddle Lady.  
"A pocket," said Lady Locket.  
"But, alas! I had one and I lost mine. However, I didn't stuff things into it like a school-boy. There was

nothing in it but my handkerchief and some tating."  
"How could you lose your pocket, please?" asked Little Boy Blue.  
"I lost it because it wasn't sewed into my waist," said Lady Locket.  
"It was only hung to my waist on ribbons and the ribbons got loose."  
"That gives me an idea for a prize," said the Riddle Lady. "If you would like a new pocket, I have one here made out of lace and satin."  
"Lace and satin?" exclaimed Peter Peter. "Much good that would do a boy."  
Mrs. Dumpling spoke up then. "It's just ridiculous—the things I take out of my son John's pocket after he has gone to bed. I have to mend his trousers every night and every night I find his pockets stuffed full. Why, I've even found worms in his pocket!"  
"Oh, but Ma, that was fishing bait," cried son John.  
"Maybe so and maybe not," said Mrs. Dumpling. "But anyway they were there. I knew what the riddle was as soon as the Riddle Lady began. 'Night after night'—mend his trousers where there were worms in his pockets—there were worms in his pocket!"  
"Well, then," said the Riddle Lady. "I'll give you a prize, too, Mrs. Dumpling, some needles and a spool of extra strong thread."  
"I think," said Mrs. Dumpling, with a knowing nod, "that if you happen to have a good, stout stick, I'll take that instead."  
(To Be Continued)  
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## JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES — LANKY LAND



It surely was a funny sight to see the tall, lean man sitting on the ground with his head and shoulders sticking out of the great sand-pile. Jack and the lanky man burst out laughing, and Flip raced up and started licking the driver's face. "Help me out of this," said the driver.



"Gee," said Jack, "we haven't got a shovel. What will we do?" Then he had a happy thought. "Come, Flip," he snapped, "dig that fellow out of the sandpile." And the old faithful dog immediately started pawing the sand away. And Jack and the lanky man helped him.



In a short time the driver was all uncovered, and then everybody turned their attention to the auto. It was nowhere to be seen. He turned his back to the searchers and threw sand up at them. (Continued.)

BY ELTON

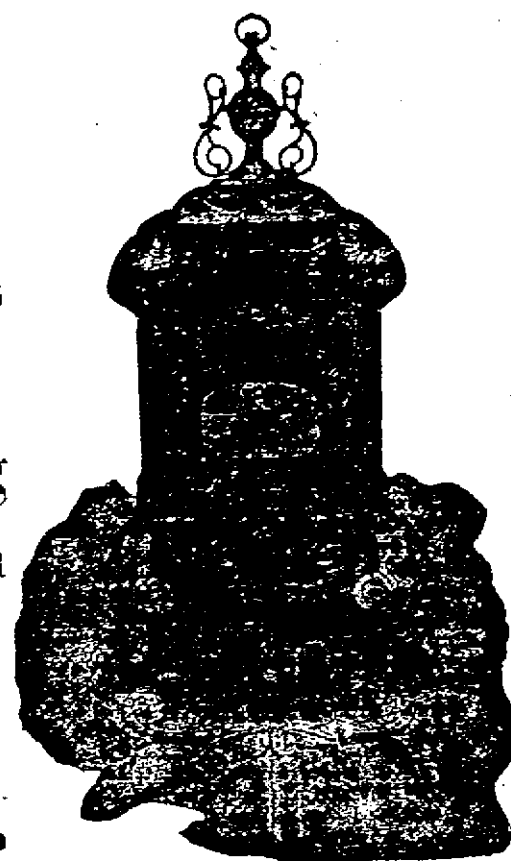
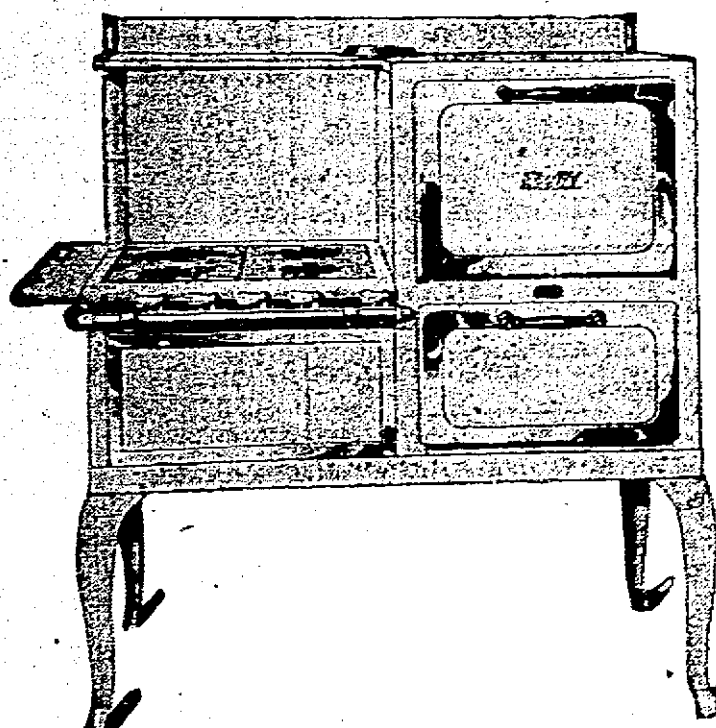


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### CORRIGAN

by EDMUND SNELL

**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
Donald White, bound for the Orange-Putah estate in Borneo, meets beautiful Miss Suon-Heng on the boat. Miss Heng is on her way to a neighboring estate to marry Mr. Lai-Ho, Chinese rubber king, whom she has never seen. A love affair develops aboardship between young White and Miss Heng.

In Borneo some weeks later, Corrigan, White's employer, has a visitor in the person of Mr. Lai-Ho, who seems to be very worried. "When I have a friend, I do everything I can for him," says Mr. Lai-Ho, "but if I

have an enemy, it would be better for him if he had never lived at all!" Then the slant-eyed visitor prepares to set forth his troubles. Three weeks before, he tells Corrigan, he brought his bride to her new home.

**NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY**  
"My wife was sent to your country," she says, "and she learned your language." He appeared to be leaning further and further forward in his chair. The friendly tone he had first assumed seemed to have grown gradually cold, until each sentence he uttered rang out like a bitter threat.

"The teachings of the old China are forgotten; the European idea grows up. I find I have taken a serpent whose touch is cold. Down, deep down inside, she has a heart that is led and warm, Mr. Corrigan; it beats not for me, but for somebody who must forever be my enemy!"

Corrigan stirred.  
"What on earth has all this to do with me, Mr. Lai-Ho?" he demanded. His brows knit. "Personally, I have never seen your wife. Quite apart from that, I happen to have one of my own; in England for her health, I admit, but still very much in my thoughts. I'm far too devoted and too busy to bother about other people's family affairs."

Lai-Ho rose from his seat and, crossing the veranda, pulled aside the blue sun blinds. He pointed dramatically.

"Look!" he said, his finger shaking with a fury that was almost consum-

ing him. "It is for this that I come to you!"

Corrigan stroked toward him and looked over his shoulder.

He saw an infinite expanse of waving rubber trees, green and flourishing; just showing above the treetops, the house of Lai-Ho, his neighbor, lying astride a slope like a squat Noah's Ark; and, standing out in the near distance, One Tree Hill silhouetted against a sky of deepest blue. A man in khaki drill sat beyond the shadows of a giant breadfruit tree, his glasses glinting in the sunshine. As Corrigan shaded his eyes against the glare, he saw an arm

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wave suddenly like a semaphore, and from the window of the bungalow something fluttered for a moment, as if in reply.

"I see," said Corrigan grimly, recognizing at a glance the man—and the situation. "This must stop."

"In China," pursued the oriental, "the betrayal of a poor man is a joke-of a wealthy man—a tragedy." He swung slowly round, letting the blind swing into place. "I go now to catch the train to Jesselton, for the boat to Labuan leaves tomorrow. In ten days I return. I look to you, my friend, to prevent this—disaster?"

"I think I can promise you," said Corrigan, holding out his hand. "I can usually answer for my employees."

"Thanks," replied Mr. Lai-Ho, picking up his hat and making for the steps. From the distance came the shrill scream of the approaching train. He hurried off down the slope, Corrigan watching him from the doorway.

Donald White sat, in sarong and singlet, listening to the contented murmur of voices from the coolie lines. The night was dark and starless and a faint breeze shivered the dried leaves of the thatch above him.

In the living room beyond the veranda, a Chinese boy was clearing away the remnants of a meal. A terrier lay, outstretched at his master's feet on the moist earth, his head on his paws, both ears pricked. Suddenly he emitted a low growl and sprang to his feet, his coat bristling, and began barking furiously into the blackness at something White could not discern.

He rose slowly, calling the dog to him, and a slim form came running into the pale light thrown by the oil lamp, and slipped to the ground, both arms clasped round his knees.

"Sue!" he gasped incredulously. He gathered her up in his arms and carried her to the veranda.

"Yes, I have come," she said in a low voice. "I have stolen away from my hotel—to rest in Paradise, for just a little while. I think he will kill me soon, but while I live, I must see you sometimes. I am still English," she continued wistfully. "and he is just 'Chinese' Oil. Donald, I stayed too long over there, and just when I might have managed to forget—I met you." Her face brightened suddenly and she laughed through her tears.

"There! The devil is gone! He is a devil! Donald, the prince of all devils—and so fat! I have crawled on my knees to the master of my destiny, to beg him to be kind and comfort me. We will just laugh a little together and pray that nobody saw me leave, and none will watch me return."

White knelt by her side and pressed his lips to her hand.

They did not notice that the dog was looking again, nor did they see Corrigan's great form until he stood before them, in tunic and breeches, his bat in his hand, his malacca tucked under his arm.

The girl uttered a little scream and White rose awkwardly to face his employer.

Corrigan's heart was the biggest part of him. He looked at the girl, ward him with his toe, bowed politely to Mrs. Lai-Ho and asked the amazed assistant for a smoke. White muttered an introduction and brought over a small bamboo table. There were cigarettes upon it, a square bottle and a couple of glasses.

Corrigan lit up carefully, throwing the match out into the night.

"You two poor devils!" he said suddenly. He rested a heavy hand on White's shoulder. "Tell us all about it, old son. The story's older than the hills, lad, but this one's likely to have a pretty tough conclusion."

White opened a bottle of soda water.

"Corrigan," he declared warmly, for emphasis was the one thing Corrigan could not stand, "you're the best pal a fellow ever had. I'm damn sorry I didn't tell you about all this before, but I was fool enough to think that you wouldn't understand."

"I should have," said Corrigan, "without seeing Mrs. Lai-Ho." He turned to the girl. "You have taught me something tonight, that yesterday I wouldn't have believed. Living in these remote places of civilization, working all day among the very low types of your people, one forgets that there are others—different, that it is difficult to imagine they come of the same race. I came in here to put an end to what I believed to be a mere flimsy love affair, but you have shown me that I was wrong."

"I find I've stumbled upon a romance," he murmured, the glow of his eyes shining. "I shall listen to you, because I believe you respect my opinion. These meetings must stop. This lady's line-

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band came to see me today. He knows everything. I won't bore you with all the things he implied to me, but they were unpleasant in the extreme. I can assure you."



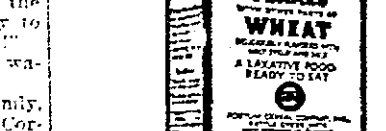
THEN WHITE KNELT BY HER SIDE.

The girl's eyes opened wide.

"My husband knows?" she demanded fearfully, her hands to her ears.

Corrigan nodded.

"You must admit that your daylight signal was, to say the least, of an indiscreet. I promised him I would nip the affair in the bud—before his



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return from Labuan in 10 days."

The girl swayed softly to and fro, her hands still pressed to her head.

"If he knows that I have been here," she whispered, "it will be the end!"

"We must never know," said White hoarsely.

"Now, look here," broke in Corrigan. "You've got to grit your teeth, both of you, and put up with it. Give up these signals, meetings, every morning thing, and be patient. A man with a courage like our honorable friend's can't last forever."

The girl shook her head sadly.

"I know you are right, Mr. Corrigan. We are following a course that can only have one ending. Our turn may come, as you have said, but the fires of our romance will have burned out with our youth."

"It does sound pretty hopeless," added her lover gloomily. "It's all so confoundedly rotten. I'd run away with you, but I'm bound to remain here. If I did clear out, we'd have precious little to live on."

Corrigan pushed a glass toward him.

"Come on," he shouted. "Suffice your lip! This is life, my lad. I've been through it and you're only getting it in your turn. When I get an idea into my head, it's usually come there for some reason. Now, I've a notion there will be a way out."

He rose and held out his hand to Miss Heng.

"If I can do anything to help you both," he assured her, "you can be certain I'll do it."

He slapped his assistant on the back, picked up his hat and came, and

went down the veranda steps whistling a tune he had heard when he was last on leave.

He was about to cross the stretch of single track, when an unusual sound coming from the bend to his right caused him to halt. He listened intently. The dull, rumbling noise drew nearer and he recognized the sound of a trolley on its way from the coast town. Presently the thing came in sight, a four-wheeled affair, propelled by a cluster of coolies. Seated on a cushion, his red umbrella folded at his feet, his fat hands folded over his chest, dazed Lai-Ho.

(To Be Continued)

No Discuss Budget

ROME—The budget of the ministry of the interior will be discussed by the senate when it reconvenes today.

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- Nashua woolnap plaid blankets, extra large size, 72x84 in. \$5.89
- Pure wool plaid blankets in 60x90 size, each \$9.59

### UNDERWEAR

- Ladies' high neck and long sleeve union suits, fleece lined \$1.00
- Ladies' two piece underwear, vests and pants, elastic rib, fleece lined, each 98c
- Ladies' heavy union suits, high neck, long sleeve or elbow sleeve and Dutch neck \$1.39
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- Men's heavy union suits, elastic ribbed and fleece lined \$1.48
- Men's wool union suits in medium weight and fine ribbed \$2.98

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# PIKE COUNTY YOUTH SHOOT'S SELF AFTER REFUSING TO GO TO SCHOOL; MAY RECOVER

**Special To Times**  
PIKETON, Dec. 2.—(Times Staff Writer) Craig, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craig of near Glens station, is in a serious condition at the City Hospital, Chillicothe, as the result of a self-inflicted gunshot wound. Young Craig, who is a student at the Armstrong school near Glens, refused to go to school Monday, and following an argument with his father, walked into an adjoining room and shot himself above the heart with a twenty-caliber rifle. He was rushed to the City Hospital at Chillicothe in a Dodge touring car belonging to William Brummer, where an X-ray examination by Dr. I. P. Sells of Piketon and Dr. R. W. Holmes of the hospital showed that the bullet had gone almost through his body, lodging in the back near the surface. The bullet was removed by Drs. Sells and Holmes. Craig was very weak from loss of blood, as several small arteries were severed by the bullet. However, barring complications, he is expected to recover. The Craigs reside on the James Glens farm, near Glens Station, which they bought when they moved to Pike County from West Virginia about a year ago.

## Chicken Supper

Members of the National Protective Legion at their regular meeting last night planned for a chicken supper, which will serve in the near future in their hall. Members reported splendid progress in a campaign for new members. A number of applicants already signed up will be initiated soon.

## "Smilin' Through"

### Here Next Monday

"Smilin' Through," Allen Langdon Martin's famous three act play, screened last year featuring Norma Talmadge, and known as the sweetest story ever told on the screen, will be here as the next number on the High School lecture course Monday, Dec. 8th.

## NEW REMEDY FOR Nervousness

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# Red Cross Needs Clothing

## Thomas Jefferson to Address Rotarians Wednesday Night

Guest speaker at the Rotary Club, which will meet Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock at the Elks' Club, instead of Thursday evening, will be Thomas Jefferson, star of "Lightnin'" which is playing a two nights' engagement here beginning tonight.

Mr. Jefferson is the son of Joseph Jefferson the beloved "Tip Van Winkle" of the theatre in days gone by. Many critics, watching Thomas Jefferson's work as "Lightnin'" Bill Jones, have found in his characterization resemblances of his famous father's acting. Mr. Jefferson, himself of ripe years, will relate memories of the theatre in the days of his renowned father. Rotarians are asked to note the change in date of meeting.

## Girls, This Is Last Month

### Get Busy or You Must Wait Four Years

## Of Leap Year; Hint to Wise

Girls, the last month of Leap Year is here. Only thirty more days left in which to land the elusive male. Better get in touch with cupid and have him sharpen his arrows and string his bow for it's hard work hunting in cold weather. The leap-year lassie who took advantage of summer moon-light and shady porch swings can now smile complacently as she turns the dial on her left hand and watches the effects of her tardy sisters. But just one tip. Let him think he's doing the hunting. Otherwise you might as well make up your mind to wait another four years.

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## Alleged Forger Wanted in Akron Arrested in New Boston

A man giving his name as E. Burkett, 34, who is wanted in Akron, on a check forging charge, was arrested yesterday by Officer Ray Brown, at 410 Park avenue, New Boston. He is being held here for Akron authorities.

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## Jersey Breeders to Meet

Harvey Marsh, Field Representative of the American Jersey Cattle Club will be in the county Wednesday and Thursday visiting Jersey breeders. A meeting of the Scioto county Jersey cattle club will be held at the Washington Hotel on Thursday evening, Dec. 4 at 7:30. All Jersey breeders are urged to be present.

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## Car Stolen; Is Recovered

Howard Duhume, of Jackson, who was stopping at the Washington Hotel reported to the police last night that his Ford coup was stolen from where it was parked near the hotel. The car was located this morning on Second street near Waller.

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## Death Calls John Hiner, Prominent Vanceburg Citizen

**Special To Times**  
VANCEBURG, Ky., Dec. 2.—John Hiner, 63, retired miller, died at his home here yesterday after several months' illness of Bright's disease and heart trouble. He was born at Sandy Springs, Adams county, Ohio, coming here when a young man and engaged in the flour and feed business with his father, the late Capt. Hiner. In the late '90's he and James Gardner acquired the holdings of the old Vanceburg plant from Mr. Wm. Bierley, and conducted the business until the death of Mr. Gardner, when L. M. Stricklett assumed the partnership. The Vanceburg Flouring Mill is one of the town's oldest landmarks, having been erected during the Civil War days, and was operated continuously until Mr. Hiner's retirement two years ago. Mr. Hiner is survived by one sister, Mrs. Flora Agnew, who makes her home here, one brother, Mr. Frank Hiner, of Texas, and one niece, Mrs. Walter Payne, of Niagara Falls, N. Y. Burial at Sandy Springs, Tuesday.

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## Ford Is Stolen

Earl Clayton, of 1405 Franklin Ave., reported to the police last night that a thief stole his Ford coupe from Second and Market streets last night. The car bore license number 666-906.

## Chick Is Elected Chancellor Commander

Semi-annual election of officers featured last night's meeting of Minerva Lodge Knights of Pythias, when Walter Chick was chosen Chancellor Commander. The newly-elected officers will be installed at the first meeting in the new year, when a big meeting will be held. The election resulted as follows: Chancellor Commander—Walter Chick. Vice Chancellor—Herman Landon. Prelate—Everett Webb. Master—At Arms—G. E. Moll. Inner Guard—C. M. Hoffman. Outer Guard—James Gilbert. Master of Work—Samuel C. Miller.

Master of Finance—A. S. Patton. Keeper of Records and Seal—H. H. Grice. Master of Exchequer—J. O. Kanouse. Trustee, 5 years—Wm. F. Blankenpfeiffer.

## NEW BOSTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole and daughter Rosemary, of Cedar street, have returned from a week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cunningham, of Ironton.

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# YOUNG WOMAN BADLY BURNED FORD CARS CHEAPER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brinkley, of Rhodes avenue, entertained as guests the latter part of the week his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Brinkley, Misses Clara and Reva Brinkley, Cal Brinkley and daughter Dorothy, of DeBloat and daughter Dorothy, of DeBloat, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert French and son Leon, of Bluefield, W. Va.; William Brinkley, of Roanoke, Va.

Kenneth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duttel and Herbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Duttel, of Blaine avenue, have returned from a week-end visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Duttel, of Lyra.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sparks, of Cedar street, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mays, of McDermott.

Otis Bell, Jr., and Mary Elizabeth Bell have returned to their home in Sciotoville, after spending the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell, of Farney avenue.

Mrs. J. B. Cole and Mrs. R. W. Akers, of Lakeview avenue, shopped in Portsmouth Tuesday.

The Church of Promise, of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, will meet Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Burton, corner of Ohio and Gallia avenues.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Powell, of Milldale road, entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hayward and son Austin, of Sciotoville, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Armstrong and sons Sherman and Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Chandler and son, Charles Martin.

## JACKSON

Mrs. R. U. Wilson, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Mattie Monahan, in Pueblo, Col., since the death of her husband, Dr. Monahan, several months ago, has returned to her home.

Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Newell, Mrs. Cornelia D. Paine and Miss Florence Dickinson motored down from Columbus and spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Margaret Colwell of Washington, D. C. is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Davis.

Misses Rosanna and Margaret Jones of Oak Hill attended the football game here on Thanksgiving and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Morgan of Main street.

Misses Gertrude and Glenora Morgan spent the week-end in Columbus.

Mrs. A. J. Evans, son Mark and daughter Betty motored back to Columbus on Saturday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mark Stenberger and family of South street.

W. W. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanley Morgan and little daughter, Kathryn Horstense of David avenue spent Thanksgiving and the week-end in Springfield with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mumma. They

will take off All Excess Fat

Do you know that there is a simple, effective remedy for overweightness that may be used safely and securely by any man or woman who is losing the slender lines of youth? It is the tablet form of the new famous Marmola Prescription. Thousands of men and women each year regain slender, beautiful figures by using Marmola Tablets. You, too, can expect to resume steadily and easily without going through long seasons of distressing exercise and starvation diet. Marmola Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists the world over at one dollar a box, or you can secure them direct from the Marmola Co., General Motors Bldg., Detroit, Mich., on receipt of price—Advertisement.

DETROIT, Dec. 2.—(United Press)—Price cuts on all models of Ford automobiles became effective today. The reductions were announced late yesterday afternoon. Price reductions range from \$5 to \$25 on different models.

Dodge Brothers' motor cars were cut from \$10 to \$140 on various models today.

According to information given out at the offices of the Universal Motor Co. today the Ford runabout will now sell for \$388 delivered here, Coupe \$570, Touring \$420, truck chassis model T \$204, 1 ton truck \$303, Tudor \$333, Fordor sedan \$716.

were joined there by Wesley Roberts of Cincinnati, son of W. W. Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Patterson and children and Miss Corlaine Hing have returned to Cleveland after being in attendance at the wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Blagg on Broadway street.

Miss Rosanna Jones, who teaches in Columbus and spent the Thanksgiving season with her parents in Oak Hill, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Morgan on Sunday, going from here to Columbus.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist Church will meet on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. O. Roberts at her home on South street.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. William Henson on Oak street.

Evangelistic meetings began at the M. E. Church on Sunday, Nov. 30, with Rev. Walter C. Nash of the West Ohio Conference as the evangelist, assisted by Rev. W. C. MILLIKAN, the pastor. The meetings will run for the next three weeks.

Miss Mildred Jones has returned to Columbus to resume her studies at O. S. U.

Miss Ida Cordle, 19, daughter of Mrs. Nancy Cordle, who lives opposite the N. & W. depot at Lucasville, was dangerously burned, but it is thought that her dress ignited when it became too hot. The young woman was burned from her ankles to her neck.

Her screams brought neighbors to her assistance and while a neighbor woman was busy tearing off the burning clothes, a younger brother of the girl threw a bucket of water on her.

John J. Gentry, son of N. & W. agent John Gentry at Lucasville, brought the young woman to Hiramstead hospital, where Dr. T. C. Crawford attended her. Her mother had gone to Houston Hollow several miles from Lucasville this morning, and Mr. Gentry later notified her of the accident and brought her to her daughter's bedside.

The young woman's father, Grover Cordle, and a brother of the girl were killed in a railroad crossing accident near Lucasville some months ago.

## New Way Eczema Goes in 48 Hours

Many people who suffer from Itch skin and Eczema like to use salves and ointments and some of them are very good.

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It's a liquid and a six-ounce bottle costs but 60 cents at Fisher & Streich's Pharmacy, Warrenton, Oregon. It doesn't end your Eczema in 48 hours—money gladly returned. Directions on each bottle.

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## NEWS from TOYLAND

# Closing Out Sale Of TOYS

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Wagons	Tables	Tool Chests
Tin Dishes	Aluminum Dishes	Granite Dishes
Autos	Trains	Musical Toys
Stuffed Animals	Horses	Dolls
Puss In Boots	Teddy Bears	Blocks
Doll Furniture	Stoves	Guns
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Sewing Cards ... 10c	Young America Color Set 30c	Dutch Ten Pins ... 80c
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Elfinch ... 50c	Mother's Help for Rainy Days ... 25c	Ping Pong ... \$1.00
Wonderful Game of Oz ... 50c	Animal Five Pins ... 20c	Hop In The Tub ... 20c
East Is East ... \$1.50	Pit ... 50c	Paper Doll Outfit ... 20c
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**INTELLECTUAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE FUTURE**  
EX-COLLEGE HEAD, SAYS  
COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—An "intellectual community" in which all the members will be studying the same problems in which there will be no attempt at "instruction" and of which the "faculty" will be in charge, will be the college of the future, Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, former president of Amherst, told Capital University students and faculty in an address here tonight on "the college of tomorrow."

"The trouble with the college of today is fundamentally that of the community which is mirrors, and that is immaturity," he said. "America has done one thing in its existence, it has grown large. So have American colleges," Dr. Meiklejohn declared. "When we find a college that has grown as much as it wants to grow, which has all the students it can teach, and all the money it wants, and all the buildings it needs, we will have the college of tomorrow, that can begin to study its teaching and function as colleges should."

**BROTHER OF DEPOSED PRESIDENT OF CHINA DIES OF STARVATION**  
LONDON, Dec. 2.—A Central News dispatch from Tien Tsin today reported that Tsao Jui, brother of the deposed ex-President of China Tsao Kun, died today from lack of food.

With his brother, Tsao Jui was interned in the presidential palace. On Saturday in answer to appeals from the palace troops escorted the sick man to a police station and on Sunday he was taken to a hospital where he died. Meanwhile the palace is being guarded closely.

### Bone Is Broken

J. M. Doss, 519 Third street, sustained a broken bone in his right foot Saturday when a street car fell on the member while he was helping move a rail at Second and Chillicothe streets. Dr. W. E. Gault attended Doss who is employed by the Portsmouth Public Service Company.

**MISSING COLUMBUS GIRLS FOUND VISITING RELATIVES**

COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—Betty Chevrolet, 16, and Dorothy Davis, 17, for whom relatives have been conducting a nation wide search following their disappearance from their homes last Tuesday, were located tonight at Nashville, Tenn., where they are visiting relatives of Miss Davis. They gave no reason for not notifying their parents of their whereabouts.

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## Election Board Meets Tonight

The Board of Election will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at their quarters in the Kricker building. Many routine matters are expected to come up for consideration.

## Will Not Pour Concrete In Freezing Weather

The Court House Commission in session at the Court House yesterday afternoon approved the second estimate for the general contractors and sounded a warning to the contractors to be careful about pouring concrete for the foundation for the new structure during freezing weather.

### OIL FIRE RAGES

SANTA FE SPRINGS, Cal., Dec. 2.—With the property loss estimated at more than \$1,500,000 and with one man burned to death, the worst oil fire in Southern California's history was burning itself out here today.

**FREIGHT TRAIN WRECKED**  
ALLIANCE, O., Dec. 2.—When a merchandise train left the track seven miles west of Alliance today, train service over the Cleveland & Pittsburgh divisions of the Pennsylvania was blocked for four hours.

### PRESIDENT'S PARDONING POWER RIGHT ARGUED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The President's pardoning power was argued before the supreme court today in the case of Philip Grossman of Chicago, charged with having violated a prohibition pact injunction and returned to a term in the house of correction. President Coolidge pardoned him but the federal district court took the position that the chief executive had no power in contempt cases.

Attorney General Stone, by special direction of President Coolidge, appeared to sustain the action of the executive, and Amos C. Miller and F. Bruce Johnston, were appointed special assistants to present the views of the lower tribunal.

### MOTHER DIES IN FIRE TRYING TO SAVE BABE

COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Glenn Elmore and her five months old child burned to death at Fishburg, near here when a can of gasoline exploded today. The father and husband who was burned seriously in attempting to rescue his wife and child, is recovering.

The tragedy occurred yesterday when Mrs. Elmore picked up a can which she believed contained kerosene to light a fire in one of the rooms. When she struck a match the contents of the can exploded and in an instant her clothing and furnishings in the room were a mass of flames.

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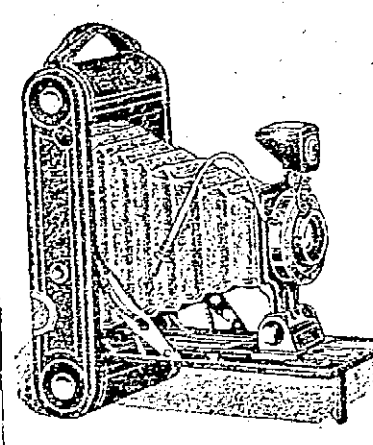
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**Fowler's**

In The Corner  
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**Did You Meet Mr. Rooster**

DID HE TELL YOU HOW MUCH HE COULD EAT?

Yes, we went to the People's Store and had a long talk with the gentleman, but could get no definite information on his capacity as a corn eater. However, we put in our guess and believe we will put in a few more as they tell me it is absolutely free and one can guess as often as desired. It is certainly a novel idea and from the crowds, one that is being taken advantage of. I got to thinking there must be some other reason that was bringing all these people here. I looked around and I was surprised. I made several purchases that I had contemplated for Christmas, saved so much on my purchases, will have to add more friends on my gift list.

It is wonderful to be able to get such values at this time of year. We don't see how the People's Store is doing it, but they are.

Which graduation gift for them?

WHEN graduation day comes around at High School and that dear child of yours is receiving gifts and congratulations from everyone, what will your present be?

For your girl, will it be a copy of the "help wanted" column in the newspaper, or will it be that course in art or music for which she shows such talent?

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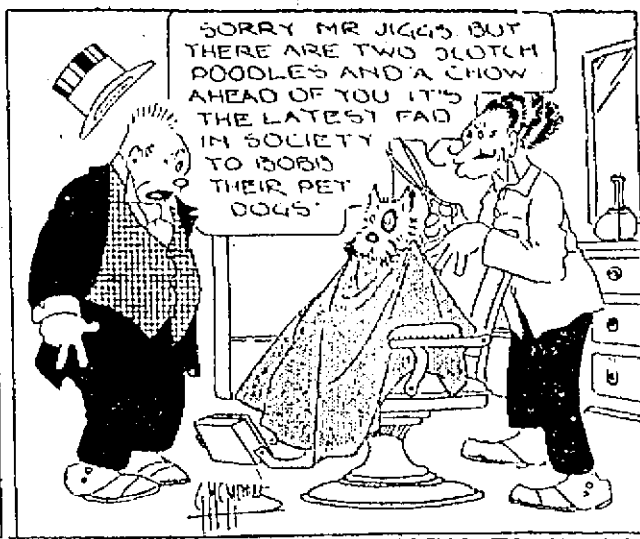
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## N. &amp; W. Depot in Piketon Is Robbed

(Special to Times.)

PIKETON, Dec. 2.—N. & W. Detective Andy Leslie and E. E. Ricker were in Piketon Monday endeavoring to find a clue in regard to the robbery at the N. & W. depot here, in which thieves made away with two dollars and twenty cents in pennies and a diamond ring valued at \$200. The ring belonged to Miss Mary Armitrout of near Piketon.

## Petit Jury to Report

Notices were mailed out Monday requiring the petit jury to come back for service in Common Pleas court at nine o'clock Wednesday morning when the suit of Belle Jacobs against N. & W. Railway company is scheduled to come to trial before Judge Thomas and the jury.

The plaintiff sued to eject the railroad company from a small strip of ground at the foot of Brierly street on which the defendant has constructed a switch. She asks for possession of the land and for damages. Attorneys McLaughlin and Staker for plaintiff and Pearson and Bannon for defendant.

## Cough Remedy Mother Gave Us Still Best

Pine Tar and Honey Best All Modern Drugs

In thousands of families it has been the custom for many years to keep pine tar and honey always on hand for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, and throat irritations. Our mothers knew that it was good, that it often broke up the worst cough in 24 hours, and that it could be given to young and old alike, as it contains no narcotics or harmful drugs.

And now we are told that in spite of modern medical discoveries there is still no faster or quicker cough remedy. Doctors say the pine tar quickly loosens and removes the phlegm and congestion that causes the coughing, also healing soreness, while the honey not only gives a pleasant taste, but helps soothe irritation.

The original compound, made up many years ago and used by millions of people, was Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. This is scientifically composed of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other quick-acting, healing ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in quick relief. If you want the original and the best, be sure you get Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey and no other. Only 50c. at any good druggists.

## Lions Preparing For Big Minstrel

Settling down to a rehearsal schedule which provides for sessions each night except Saturday and Sunday, until Dec. 12 and 13, the date for the minstrel, the Lions club, last night entered upon the last lap of training for the big event.

Parts have been selected and everything is in shape for the wind-up of preparations and indications point to a most successful minstrel.

President Clyde Pritch, last night, made public this list of newly appointed committees:

Civic—H. M. Rogers, chairman; B. B. Murfin, McClure, Shiers.

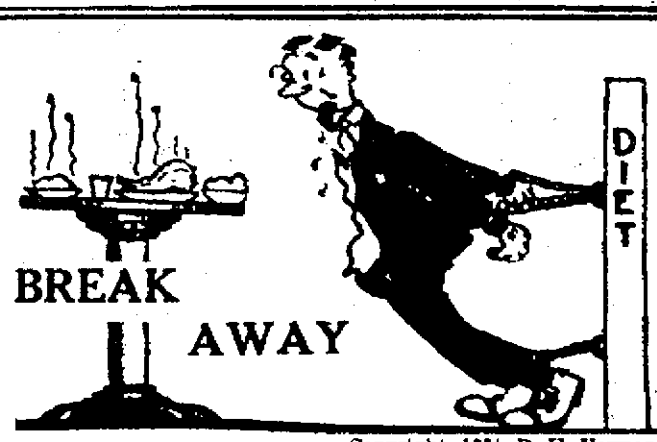
Educational—Cooks, chairman; Zornes, Lamb, Coffman.

Membership—Fry, Williams, Ashpaw.

Gravence—Ridenour, chairman, Staker, Klingman, Johnson.

Welfare—Adams, chairman; Pressler, White, Edwards.

Finance—Shuway, chairman.



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You don't need to suffer to eat. Pain, sour stomach, gas and heartburn are unnecessary. Don't feel draggy and drowsy, with a sick headache all day long. Get rid of that dyspeptic growth. Why embarrass yourself with bloating and belching. Look forward with pleasure to your next meal. Indigestion and Dyspepsia can positively be relieved. Dr. Hermann's Digestive Tablets do the work in all stomach disorders.

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## EGYPT HAS AGREED TO MEET TERMS OF BRITISH

LONDON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—Egypt has agreed to the outstanding terms previously unaccepted which were laid down after the assassination of the British, Sir Lee Stack. The demands to which the Egyptian government at first refused to accede were that all Egyptian officers and purely Egyptian units of the Egyptian army be withdrawn from the Sudan; that an increase in irrigation be permitted in the Sudan and that opposition cease to British wishes concerning protection of foreign interests in Egypt.

After the Egyptian refusal the British authorities themselves ordered the Egyptian troops to vacate the Sudan and some of them have left.

The situation both in Egypt and the Sudan continues quiet. Newspaper correspondents imply that further trouble in the Sudan is improbable.

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Steel or wooden wagons, wire or disk wheels or rubber tires

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Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, amber tip, fancy handles, black, navy, green, purple \$4.98

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Ladies' gloves, imported French kid with gauntlet \$2.49

Men's silk and wool mufflers, fancy shades 98c to \$2.98

Men's silk striped madras dress shirts \$1.98 up to \$6.00

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Large Turkish towels, fancy colored borders 39c

10 in. silk crepe de chine 12 asst. shades 98c

\$1.00 quality ladies' chamoisette gloves, gauntlet style 69c

50 in. linen table damasks, with pink or blue border 79c

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2 pants suits, cassimere, worsteds or plu striped suit, one, two or three button \$14.45

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EX-COLLAGE HEAD, SAYS  
COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—An "intellectual community" in which all the members will be studying the same problems in which there will be no attempt at "instruction" and of which the faculty will be in charge, Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, former president of Amherst, told Capital University students and faculty in an address here tonight on "the college of tomorrow."

"The trouble with the college of today is fundamentally that of the community which it mirrors, and that is immaturity," he said. "America has done one thing in its existence, it has grown large. So have American colleges," Dr. Meiklejohn declared. "When we find a college that has grown as much as it wants to grow, we have all the students it can teach and all the money it wants and all the buildings it needs, we will have the college of tomorrow, that can begin to study its teaching and function as colleges should."

**BROTHER OF DEPOSED PRESIDENT OF CHINA DIES OF STARVATION**

LONDON, Dec. 2.—A Central News dispatch from Tien Tsin today reported that Tsao Jui, brother of the deposed ex-President of China Tsao Kuo, died today from lack of food.

With his brother, Tsao Jui was interned in the presidential palace. On Saturday in answer to appeals from the palace troops escorted the sick man to a police station and on Sunday he was taken to a hospital where he died. Meanwhile the palace is being guarded closely.

### Bone Is Broken

J. M. Doss, 519 Third street, sustained a broken bone in his right foot Saturday when a street car fell on the member while he was helping move a rail at Second and Chillicothe streets. Dr. W. L. Gault attended Doss who is employed by the Portsmouth Public Service Company.

### MISSING COLUMBUS GIRLS FOUND VISITING RELATIVES

COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—Betty Chevalard, 13, and Dorothy Davis, 17, for whom relatives have been conducting a nation wide search following their disappearance from their homes last Tuesday, were located tonight at Nashville, Tenn. where they are visiting relatives of Miss Davis. They gave no reason for not notifying their parents of their whereabouts.

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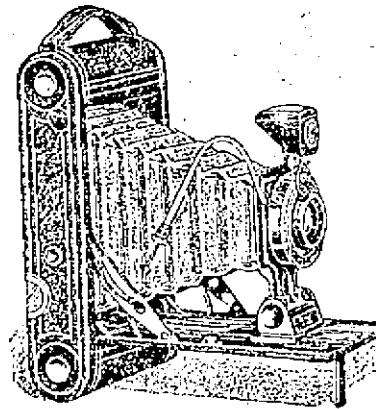
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### Election Board Meets Tonight

The Board of Election will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday night at their quarters in the Kricker building. Many routine matters are expected to come up for consideration.

### Will Not Pour Concrete In Freezing Weather

The Court House Commission in session at the Court House yesterday afternoon approved the second estimate for the general contractors and sounded a warning to the contractors to be careful about pouring concrete for the foundation for the new structure during freezing weather.



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It is wonderful to be able to get such values at this time of year. We don't see how the People's Store is doing it, but they are.

### PRESIDENT'S PARDONING POWER RIGHT ARGUED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The President's pardoning power was argued before the supreme court today in the case of Philip Grossman of Chicago, charged with having violated a prohibition padlock injunction and sentenced to a term in the house of correction. President Coolidge pardoned him but the federal district court took the position that the chief executive had no power in contempt cases.

Attorney General Stone, by special direction of President Coolidge, appeared to sustain the action of the executive, and Amos C. Miller and Bruce Johnstone, were appointed special assistants to present the views of the lower tribunal.

### MOTHER DIES IN FIRE TRYING TO SAVE BABE

COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—A fatal arrangement for Mrs. Glenn Eames and her five months old child, burned to death at Fiskburg, near here when a can of gasoline exploded in their home, were being completed today. The father and husband who was burned seriously in attempting to rescue his wife and child, is recovering. The tragedy occurred yesterday when Mrs. Eames picked up a can which she believed contained kerosene to light a fire in one of the rooms. When she struck a match the contents of the can exploded and in an instant her clothing and furnishings in the room were a mass of flames.

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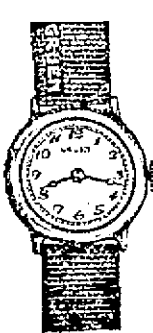
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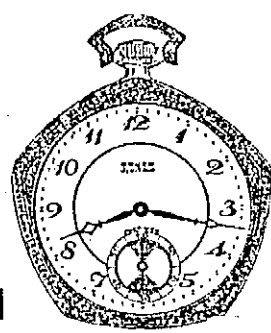
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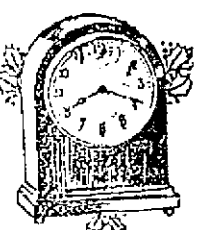


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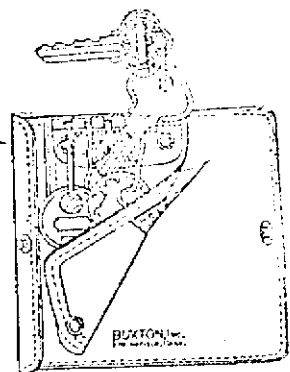
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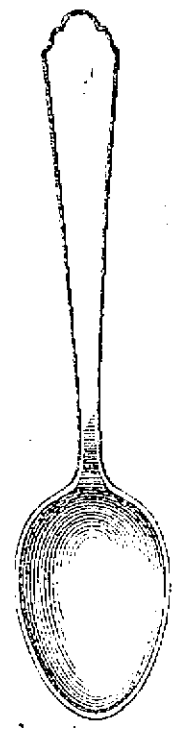
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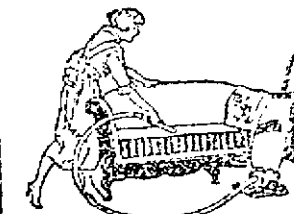
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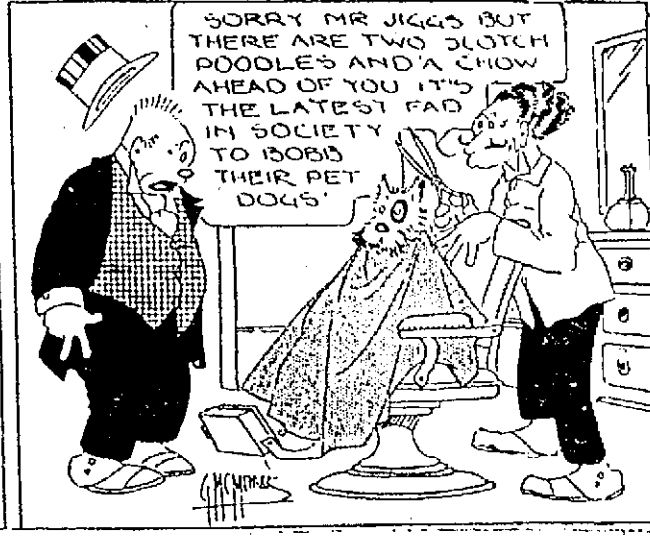
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## N. &amp; W. Depot in Piketon Is Robbed

(Special to Times.)

PIKETON, Dec. 2.—N. & W. Depot and Andy Leslie and E. B. Ricker were in Piketon Monday endeavoring to find a clue in regard to the robbery at the N. & W. depot here, in which thieves made away with two dollars and twenty cents in pennies and a diamond ring valued at \$200. The ring belonged to Miss Mary Armstrong of near Piketon.

## Petit Jury to Report

Notices were mailed out Monday requiring the petit jury to come back for service in Common Pleas court at nine o'clock Wednesday morning when the suit of Belle Jacobs against N. & W. Railway company is scheduled to come to trial before Judge Thomas and the jury.

The plaintiff sued to eject the railroad company from a small strip of ground at the foot of Eleventh street on which the defendant has constructed a switch. She asks for possession of the land and for damages. Attorneys McLaughlin and Staker for plaintiff and Patton and Bannon for defendant.

## Cough Remedy Mother Gave Us Still Best

Pine Tar and Honey Best

In thousands of families it has been the custom for many years to keep pine tar and honey always on hand for coughs, chest colds, bronchitis, spasmodic croup, and throat irritation. Mothers know that it was good, that it often broke up the worst cough in 24 hours, and that it could be given to young and old alike, as it contains no narcotics or harmful drugs.

And now we are told that in spite of modern medical discoveries there is still no better or quicker cough remedy. Doctors say the pine tar quickly loosens and removes the mucus and congestion that cause the coughing, also healing soreness, while the honey not only gives a pleasant taste, but helps soothe the irritation.

The original compound, made up many years ago and used by millions of people, was Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey. This is a medicinal compound of just the right proportions of pine tar, honey and other quick-acting ingredients which the best doctors have found to aid in quick relief. If you want the original and the best, be sure you get Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey and no other. Only 50c. at any good drugstore.

## Lions Preparing For Big Minstrel

Settling down to a rehearsal schedule which provides for sessions each night except Saturday and Sunday, until Dec. 12 and 13, the date for the minstrel, the Lions club, last night entered upon the last lap of training for the big event.

Parts have been selected and everything is in shape for the wrap-up of preparations and indications point to a most successful minstrel.

President Clyde Fitch, last night, made public this list of newly appointed committees:

Civic—H. M. Rogers, chairman; B. B. Murfin, McClure, Shiers.

Educational—Cookes, chairman; Zornes, Lamb, Coffman.

Membership—Fry, Williams, Ashpaw.

Gravence—Ridenour, chairman; Staker, Klingman, Johnson.

Welfare—Adams, chairman; Pressler, White, Edwards.

Finance—Shunway, chairman.

## EGYPT HAS AGREED TO MEET TERMS OF BRITISH

LONDON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press.)—Egypt has agreed to the outstanding terms previously accepted which were laid down after the assassination of the British, Sir Lee Stack. The demands to which the Egyptian government at first refused to accede were that all Egyptian officers and purely Egyptian units of the Egyptian army be withdrawn from the Sudan; that an increase in irrigation be permitted in the Sudan and that opposition cease to British wishes concerning protection of foreign interests in Egypt.

After the Egyptian refusal the British authorities themselves ordered the Egyptian troops to vacate the Sudan and some of them have left.

The situation both in Egypt and the Sudan continues quiet. Newspaper correspondents imply that further trouble in the Sudan is improbable.



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Imported Horses	98c and up
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Velocipedes Steel frame, rubber tires	\$2.49 and up
Footballs	98c and up
Doll Carts	98c and up
Dolls	29c and up
Scooters	\$1.49 and up
Mama Dolls	98c and up

Toy wheelbarrows or dump carts, red or black	79c
Steel Roller Skates	98c

MAIN FLOOR SPECIALS	
Waterside or brocade corduroy, several shades	89c
Oilcloth, first quality, yard	25c
Large Turkish towels, fancy colored borders	39c
10 in. silk crepe de chine 12 asst. shades	98c
\$1.00 quality ladies' chamoisette gloves, gauntlet style	69c
30 in. linen table damasks, with pink or blue border	79c
Men's Suits Or Overcoats	
2 pants suits, cassimere, worsteds or phi striped suit, one, two or three button models	\$14.45
Boys' 2 pants suits, worsted, cassimere, mixtures pants full lined, \$8.50 suit	
Anniversary Price	\$5.98
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Fancy water sets, pitcher and 6 glasses and tray, fancy colored designs	\$2.98

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Ladies' silk or wool hose, a good grade, this is worth \$1.75, priced at	\$1.19
Ladies' Boxed Kerchiefs packed in neat gift box	29c to 79c
Ladies' Collar and Cuff Sets, linen or crepe de chine in Xmas boxes	29c to \$1.29
Leather or Beaded Bags, all reduced for our Anniversary Sale	98c to \$9.95
Blankets and Comforters, good big sizes, a useful gift to give	\$2.98
Ladies' Silk Umbrellas, amber tip, fancy handles, black, navy, green, purple	\$4.98
Colored Bed Spreads, extra large size, a wonderful gift	\$2.98
Ladies' gloves, imported French kid with gauntlet	\$2.49
Men's silk and wool mufflers, fancy shades	98c to \$2.98
Men's silk striped madras dress shirts	\$1.98 up to \$6.00
Men's silk neckwear	39c up to \$2.00
Ladies' Indian Moccasins, all shades.	98c to \$2.50
Men's and Women's Bathrobes, fancy patterns	\$2.98

## Infants' Department

Infants' corduroy or chinchilla coats, several colors

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## Opposition

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measure to death if it is left till the last minute and the administration itself has shown the disposition to use its influence to force action in the past through the death of Senator Lodge and the accession of Senator Borah to the chairmanship of the Foreign Relations committee may mean a report from the committee and some debate before the session is ended.

## Up to Insurgents

The present session of congress will give the LaFollette insurgents an opportunity to use obstructive tactics and force an extra session of congress, but it can not be assumed that they will adopt that policy. Insurgents usually are most active when they have just come from victories at the polls. It would gain the insurgents very little to force an extra session of congress in April which could dispose of its work by June because the administration would have a good working majority in the house and might be assured of enough support in the senate to push through the bill that might have been left unacted on in March.

Just what the opposition to the administration in congress will do depends entirely on the Democrats. If they continue their coalition with the insurgent Republicans this session could be made a political football for the next Congressional campaign. "Pop-gun" bills passed in order to draw forth a veto might be projected again as they have been in the past when congress has not been in control of the same party as represented by the chief executive.

Conservative Democratic newspapers are urging the Democrats to abandon the LaFollette coalition. This is easy enough where matters of senate organization are involved, but on individual measures even the conservative leaders who happen to be party conference which finds more advantages in embracing the majority party than in working with it.

## Beauty

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This is the nature of the politician and very appeals which are coming from Republican newspapers to the Democrats to abandon the LaFollette alliance are regarded by the partisan Democrats as the expression not of friendly interest in the Democratic future but of fear for the Republican party's program in this session of congress.

**To Take Care of Routine Business.**  
A forecast of the present session of congress which seems at the moment justified by the sentiment of returning members is that little will be done between now and March 4 except routine business. And there is some reason to believe that the administration would be just as happy if only the routine were taken care of so the country might have another "rest" from congressional debate and legislation from March until December next.

Few presidents in recent years, however, have been willing to take the risk of nonaction in the first year of their first term. This is the occasion as a rule for the making of a record. The congressional elections of 1926 really begin in the month of December, 1925, and thereafter when the congress would be expected to make its principal legislative record. Members of congress are usually diverted from legislation when they are watching possible opposition in their own primaries for re-election. The president may be compelled to change his mind and summon a session in April, but the congress which started this week is going on the assumption that there will be an end of its work on March 4 and that the months thereafter can be devoted to fixing up political fences back home.

## Chaplin's

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he interviewed last night, inquiring regarding, invariably being met at the Chaplin front gate with a "Yes, we are not at home" from a Japanese servant. The same servant made the same speech to Mrs. Spicer when she called on December 12. Mrs. Spicer hurried to the Chaplin home after interviewers had found them and imparted the news.

Mr. Curry said: "Don't get the impression that Charlie and Lita were putting any strain over on the family when she gave her age incorrectly. "We noticed it as soon as we saw the notice of her marriage which was posted several weeks ago, according to Mexican requirements. "We consulted a Mexican attorney here, who told us the marriage would be illegal if the age were incorrectly stated, so we started down to Guaymas to have it changed, but found when we got there marriage was legal anyway."

Remembering her explanation, Mrs. Spicer asked: "What difference does it make if my daughter's age was not correctly given? The public has been given to understand that she is a girl of 19 through motion picture publicity and it was thought best to leave it that way for that reason."

## President

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prospective surplus but to add to it. The \$200,532,430 decrease in the 1926 budget under the 1925 budget was made up of decreased expenditures in many governmental activities which were in part counter-balanced by increases in other.

Among other agencies for which increased expenditures were reported were: government printing, federal board for vocational education, federal power commission, interstate commerce commission, tariff commission, the District of Columbia, and the departments of agriculture, justice and the post-office.

**Budget To Run Government**  
The following table shows the appropriations recommended by the president for the major governmental activities for 1926 together with the appropriations for 1925 and the increase or decrease:

United States Veterans' Bureau, 1926—\$105,700,000; 1925—\$484,057,808; decrease, \$378,357,808.
Shipping Board and Emergency Fleet Corporation, 1926—\$249,000,000; 1925—\$249,000,000; decrease, \$0.
Other independent offices, 1926, \$122,340,000; 1925, \$41,834,482,95; increase, \$80,505,517.
Department of Agriculture, 1926, \$140,000,000; 1925, \$75,017,180; increase, \$64,982,820.
Department of Commerce, 1926, \$22,741,514; 1925, \$25,847,553; decrease, \$3,106,039.
Department of the Interior, 1926, \$207,785,500; 1925, \$284,319,100; decrease, \$76,533,600.
Department of Justice, 1926, \$24,517,223; 1925, \$22,620,016; increase, \$1,897,207.
Department of Labor, 1926, \$8,335,200; 1925, \$8,370,246; decrease, \$35,046.
Navy Department, 1926, \$28,735,978; 1925, \$41,307,257; decrease, \$12,571,279.
Department of State, 1926, \$16,130,622; 1925, \$16,261,736; decrease, \$131,114.
Treasury Department, 1926, \$103,847,741; 1925, \$150,058,000; decrease, \$46,210,259.
War Department, 1926, \$278,551,230; 1925, \$247,153,504; increase, \$31,397,726.
Post Office Department, 1926, \$327,000,000; 1925, \$301,045,195; increase, \$25,954,805.

The budget estimates for national defense including funds necessary for the military activities of the war and navy departments, were a decrease of \$20,000,000.

"This reduction is made in accordance with my belief that we can have adequate national defense with a more modest outlay of the tax payers' money," Mr. Coolidge said. "Further study may point the way to additional reduction without weakening our national defense, but rather perfecting it. This nation is at peace with the world. We no longer have international competition in naval construction of major

We are concerned primarily with maintaining adequate preparedness. We should have adequate preparedness in 1926 within the limits of the amount recommended."

The president indicated again his growing conviction that the basis for this country's defense lies more and more with aviation. He pointed out that the "outstanding weakness in the industrial situation as it affects national defense is the inadequacy of facilities to supply air service needs." He called attention to the fact the budget provided a total of \$39,045,000 for air service maintained by the Army, Navy and Air Mail.

The budget recommended \$50,237,000 for rivers and harbors. Major items mentioned by the president included \$15,500,000 for flood control on the Mississippi and Sacramento rivers and \$1,010,200 to complete Dam No. 2 at Muscle Shoals.

The amount set aside for soldiers' bonus fund in 1926 was only \$50,000,000. The president said veterans' applications had so far been below the number expected and that if the applications increased unexpectedly a supplemental estimate could make up the amount required.

In pointing out the necessity of apportioning \$100,000,000 for federal aid to states Mr. Coolidge voiced his vigorous disapproval of state aid.

"I am convinced that the broadening of this field of activity is detrimental to both to Federal and State governments," he said. "Efficiency of Federal operations is impaired as their scope is unduly enlarged. Efficiency of State governments is impaired as they relinquish and turn over the Federal government responsibilities which are rightfully theirs. I am opposed to any

expansion of these subsidies. My conviction is they can be curtailed with benefit to both the Federal and State governments."

In connection with his recommendation of \$0,777,257 for reclamation the president urged the enactment of the new reclamation bill now before congress.

Public Debt Reduced  
Mr. Coolidge reported the public debt had been reduced \$1,088,504,375 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, bringing it down to a total of \$21,250,512,980. This reduction decreased the annual interest charge by approximately \$45,000,000. Interest paid during the fiscal year 1924 amounted to \$940,000,000 and he estimated this interest charge would be \$835,000,000 in 1925 and \$830,000,000 in 1926 making a reduction in this item during the two years of \$110,000,000.

Almost the sole new expenditure authorized by President Coolidge was the construction of new public buildings in the District of Columbia. He pointed out that the present necessity of scattering government activities through scores of temporary buildings and rented quarters decreased governmental efficiency, was unnecessarily costly and involved

serious fire hazards. He recommended a progressive building program with an annual expenditure of \$10,000,000.

The agricultural commission which he has appointed to study the problem of agricultural relief he said would report "what action should be taken to place agriculture on a basis of economic equalities with other industries."

"I mention this commission here," the president said, "for the reason that I will shortly submit to congress an estimate of appropriations to meet the expenses of the commission."

The \$0,014,000 decrease in expenditures for the Shipping Board and the Emergency Fleet Corporation was secured by a general curtailment of overhead expenses, slight increase in rates and an increase in operating efficiency.

The large reduction in Veterans' Bureau expenditures was made up of decreases in the amount spent for salaries, compensation, medical and hospital construction against which decreases stood the new expenditure caused by the adjusted compensation act.

The great increase for the Department of Agriculture was caused primarily

by the necessity of increasing the amount appropriated for rural post roads from \$13,000,000 to \$30,000,000.

The \$26,533,537.60 decrease for the Department of the Interior was due principally to the decrease in the necessary expenditure for pensions.

The decrease in funds allotted the Navy was brought about without limiting the activity of the combat sections of the fleet, without decreasing the number of ships in commission. A decrease of 1500 in the enlisted strength of the Marine Corps accounted for part of the saving and curtailment of administrative phases of naval work accounted for most of the rest.

Most of the reduction in the Treasury Department estimate arose from a \$15,000,000 decrease in appropriation for income tax refunds. Other Treasury operations involved a general slight increase in cost.

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# INVESTIGATING NEW PHASES IN W. R. FEE DEATH

**THE B LEAGUE MEETS TONIGHT**  
A meeting of team representatives of the B Valley Ball League will be held tonight at 7, at the office of W. W. Weldner, First National Bank Building.

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Dec. 2.—Further investigation of the death of William R. Fee, of Alhambra, banker, formerly of Cincinnati, today awaits reports from three sources. One is the report from the final autopsy, conducted last Friday by A. P. Wagner, Los Angeles County Surgeon, who assumes that Fee's death may have been natural.

A previous autopsy conducted by Surgeons E. L. Tysinger and H. L. Sull, of San Bernardino County, placed cause of death on a blow on his head behind the left ear, which, without contussing the scalp, fractured Fee's skull, and on collapse of his left lung. It was on the findings of these surgeons that the coroner's jury here returned a verdict of "violent death at the hands of an unknown person."

Another report due is from J. Clark Sellers, criminologist, retained by Sheriff Shay, who today analyzed ashes from the fire place in Miss Watkins' cabin, and blood stains and strands of hair found in another unoccupied cabin across the road.

A third report was due from O. W. Bottoff, Deputy Sheriff, who was comparing fingerprints of the dead man with others taken on articles in the Watkins' cabin.

The officials hold it was not established that Fee was not inside the Watkins' place during the day of his

disappearance, Saturday, November 22 and last Tuesday when his body was found 60 feet from Miss Watkins' cabin where she, and escort Joseph Walker, and another young man passed 30 hours of the 72 during which Fee was sought by searchers. The pistol owned by Fee was found today inside his automobile in Alhambra. The pistol had been sought for several days, ever since a cartridge was picked up in the Little Creek Canyon locality near the cabins occupied by Miss Watkins and Fee and his wife.

Disclosure of the pistol was taken as indicating Fee was unarmed when he left his wife on that day and strode into woodland for the last time.

Walker probably will be brought from Alhambra to the canyon cabin again. During four hours of examination in the Alhambra City Hall last Friday night Deputy District Attorney Thompson, Mr. Sellers and the Sheriff said they were not satisfied fully with his description of how he had looked and turned. Miss Watkins' automobile from the garage beside her cabin last Monday night when he and the girl roared the 120 miles there and back from Alhambra.

Miss Watkins' attorney, Colonel Byron Waters, 75 years old, blind and dependent on a cane, but nevertheless one of the most forceful figures in the case, has informed Prosecutor

Thompson that his client may no longer be examined except in his presence and with all legal formality. The picturesque old man is understood to have announced to San Bernardino County officials that "there will be no more of this Hawkshaw and thumbscrew business after Monday."

## Hoke Donithen May Get The Federal Judge Appointment

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—Hoke Donithen, of Marion, Ohio, is under consideration for appointment as federal judge for the southern district of Ohio, succeeding John E. Sater, who recently resigned.

## Appreciative Audience Approves Local Artists In Voice, Violin, Organ Recital

By Sydney Strange

It was a large crowd which greeted Henri Schnabl, Elmer Ende and Irma Lindemeyer when they presented their joint organ, voice and violin recital at Second Presbyterian Church last night, and judging from the comments afterward, it was an enthusiastic audience as well. But that latter fact was difficult for a critic to judge, for no emotion was expressed. Why, in the name of Apollo, didn't we applaud? Three gifted musicians had worked long and patiently on the program presented for our enjoyment, and we didn't show that enjoyment. Surely there would be nothing supercilious in applauding beautiful music, beautifully interpreted, even when that interpretation is given in a church auditorium. In these days when everyone prates of psychological influences, all of us have been told many times that emotion unexpressed becomes poisonous. Now music is bound to stir the emotions; we feel delight, we revel in its beauty, we are stirred to admiration by some particularly skillful bit of execution, and we need handclap-

ping to express those emotions. If we don't, then we finally settle down into a state of satiety and go to sleep. Some day we are going to forget decorum and applaud enthusiastically whether anyone else does or not.

And that's that! Now that that is out of our system we can talk about the concert, which was one of genuine beauty from the Bach "Canzona in D Minor," with which Mr. Ende opened the program, to the Gounod, "Sing, Suffer, Slumber," with voice, violin and organ, all contributing to the harmony.

This was our first opportunity to hear Mr. Schnabl, but we hope it is not going to be our last, for here is a musician of genuine ability that Portsmouth may well welcome eagerly. Mr. Schnabl's first number, the Concerto, No. 1, in D, by Mozart, was well chosen to demonstrate the violinist's ability to draw a clean, singing tone from his strings. The Audante Cantabile was played with full appreciation of the poignant sweetness of the theme, and the Rondo was as crisp and as anyone could wish. In his second

group we liked especially the Roger-Barnas slumber song, played with muted strings and a pronounced rocking rhythm. Helge Katt, by Hubay, has long been a favorite, and Mr. Schnabl's violin said "come here, Katy" so expressively that we felt sure the maiden would accept the invitation. We are looking forward to hearing a brilliant number from Mr. Schnabl at some future date, when he will be given the opportunity of showing more colorful technique than last night's selections afforded.

Miss Lindemeyer's soprano is clear and sweet and was given full expression in "O Had I Julia's Lyre" and "Ecstasy." One of the most pleasing qualities of her singing is her total lack of all apparent effort. The tone flows forth freely and easily and even her high notes hold no strain. "Rain," by Curran, was sung delightfully to a charming accompaniment, in which Mr. Ende achieved the exact effect of pattering raindrops.

Of Mr. Ende's organ selections we liked especially "An Elizabethan

idyll," which set us dreaming of dainty shepherdesses, May Day dances and coquetting lovers. Perhaps the "Wedding Vow" was new to us, and we found this highly modern composition intensely interesting. That impressionistic atmosphere that characterizes so much of our modern art, whether in music, literature or painting, was dominant. Mr. Ende's interpretation is so clean and so intellectual that we always feel we get a wholesome expression of a composer's work. It is so easy to make a pipe organ a hyper-sentimental instrument, to pull tremolo stops, and to use unusual combinations of harps and throbbing strings, that we are always grateful to Mr. Ende for the simplicity and honesty of his registrations.

You will judge from all this that we liked the concert. We did, tremendously, but we would have liked it better if we could have applauded.

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
Wade Dixon, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Maggie Dixon, his wife, has filed her suit against him, in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, in case No. 15761 for divorce and alimony, and custody of children, and that the same will be for hearing on and after the 14th day of January, 1925.  
HARRY DALL, Attorney for Plaintiff.  
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## Mrs. Parsons Is Critically Ill

COLUMBUS, Dec. (By Associated Press)—Mrs. Alice H. Parsons, former Ironton, O., newspaper woman, is critically ill at a local hospital. Attendants shortly before noon said her condition was "very low." For many years Mrs. Parsons was on the staff of the Irontonian, at Ironton. She had lived here for the last 15 years.

## Middletown Paper Sold

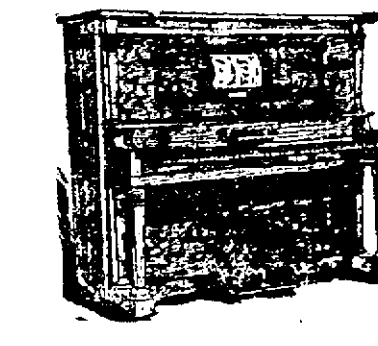
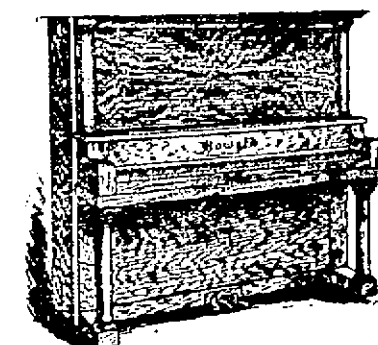
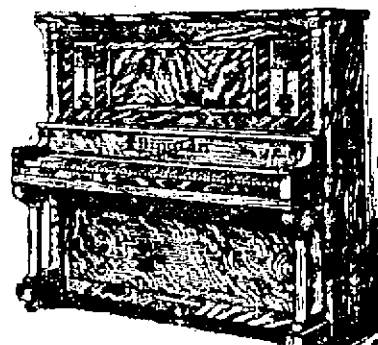
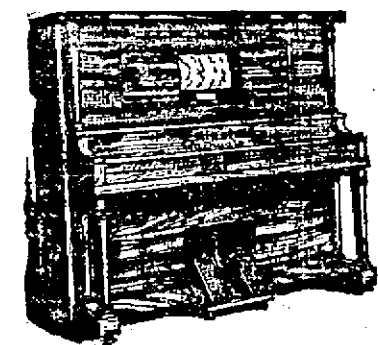
MIDDLETOWN, O., December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—The Middletown Journal was sold today to J. A. Chaw, of Xenia, who operates newspapers in Xenia, Piqua and Niles, Ohio. He has not yet named whom he will place in charge of the paper. Frank H. Pauley, president of the Associated Ohio Dailies, has been publisher of the Journal for the past twelve years. He is now postmaster.

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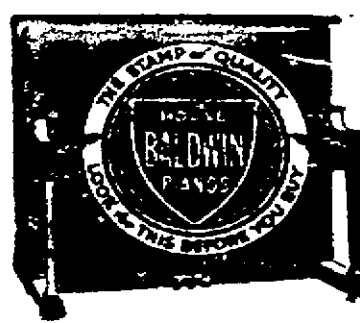
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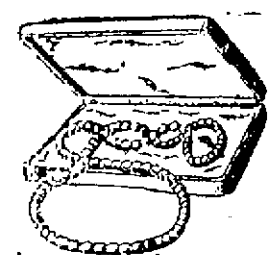
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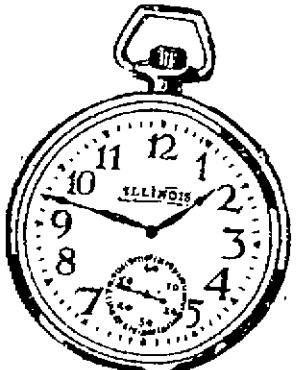
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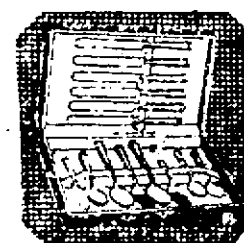
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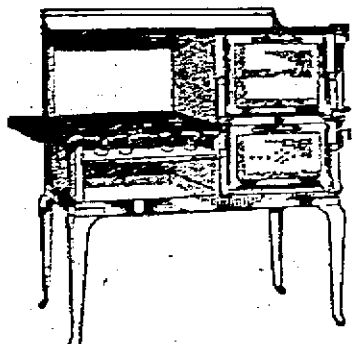
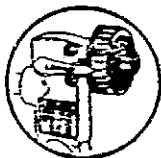
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CONVICTED OF ATTEMPTING TO POISON FIANCE. Mrs. Mary K. Eggleston, wealthy widow of Larned, Kan., was found guilty of conspiracy to poison her self-styled fiance, Dave Ely, wealthy realtor. She conspired to put strychnine in wine which was to be administered to Ely. Mrs. Eggleston was to receive Ely's \$65,000.

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Norma Talmadge, in her current First National picture, "Secrets," now showing at the Columbia Theatre, wears the tight-fitting, wasp-waisted gowns which were in vogue sixty and seventy years ago. She decidedly is not in favor of them. "Women of today have much to be thankful for," says Norma. "Our grandmothers were very sensible women in most things, but I am afraid that the society belles of other days must have pinched themselves unmercifully in order to achieve the waspy waist effects which were in vogue in those times."

"And how they endured the wire hoops and the heavy materials in their crinolines, I cannot understand. Crinolines must have been a terrible nuisance, for they catch on nails and every projection within range."

"After wearing half a dozen kinds of crinoline gowns in 'Secrets,' the women who appear in the old illustrations in Harper's Weekly of the '30's and '40's seem like old friends. The average room in a bungalow would hold just about two and a half women today, if they wore the crinolines of 1890. And I should imagine that a hundred women would fill any ballroom almost to suffocation."

"Secrets," starring Norma Talmadge, is her greatest picture. In this Joseph M. Schenck production Norma plays four roles, that of a girl, a young mother, a middle-aged matron and an aged woman. The picture is cast in four periods, 1823, 1850, 1870 and 1890, and the action takes place both in the far West and in modern society settings. In all four periods Norma displays a remarkable range of characterization.

Frank Borzage, of "Humoresque" fame, directed "Secrets," with the veteran Gaetano Donato as his cameraman.

## Seymour Fatally Hurt When Thrown Under His Wagon

Funeral and burial services were held this morning at ten o'clock for Frank J. Seymour, former Dry Run farmer, who met with a fatal accident on his farm near Rising City, Neb., Thanksgiving morning. He was fatally injured when a team of horses ran away, causing a wagon wheel to pass over his chest. Mr. Seymour was loading corn when the horses frightened and ran off, throwing him in the path of the wagon. He lived about an hour, dying of hemorrhages.

The body arrived Sunday, and today private funeral services were held at the Pfeiffer funeral parlour, with Father T. A. Goebel in charge. Mr. Seymour had been a member of St. Mary's church. Burial was in Greenlawn.

## Bus Deal Is Still On

Late this afternoon J. P. Grubb, owner of the Cannonball bus line operating between Portsmouth, Boston and Hingham, declared that no deal had been completed by admitted plans were not for the sale of his bus line. One of the men said to be involved in the transfer of the business is said to be George Morgan, well known insurance representative.

## Going To Jackson

Anthony J. C. Barry, Thurston, will go to Jackson, where he will appear for the defendants in the trial of the young man accused of forgery.

## Jumps Three Stories With Twins In Her Arms

NEW YORK, December 2.—(By the United Press).—Holding her three weeks old twin boys in her arms, Mrs. Beatie Katz, 23, leaped from her third floor apartment here today to the paved court yard below.

Jerome, one of the twins, was killed and Stanley, the other, and Mrs. Katz are dying in the hospital.

Harry Katz, the woman's husband, was in another room of the apartment playing with his nine-year-old daughter, and was not aware of the tragedy until neighbors informed him.

Katz said his wife had been nervous since her return from the hospital.

## Agrees To Pay

Raymond Blakeman, Stockdale young man, arrested by county police Tuesday on a charge of abandoning his pregnant wife, arranged to pay the sum of \$5 a week towards his wife's support and Judge Sprague continued the case until January 6. Blakeman was required to give a \$200 bond as a guarantee to carry out his promise to pay and to appear in court when wanted.

## GEORGE OAKES' CONDITION IS VERY CRITICAL

George Oakes, foreman for the Portsmouth Public Service Company and a resident of 1711 Seventh street, remained in a critical condition at Hampstead hospital this afternoon. Physicians told relatives this morning that no hopes were held for recovery. Mr. Oakes, who sustained a serious fracture of the skull Sunday, November 22, talked with and recognized relatives up until Monday morning when he took a change for the worse.

## TOOLMAKER BANKRUPT

CINCINNATI, Dec. 2.—A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in United States District court yesterday by John H. Hayslip, Portsmouth, O., toolmaker. He schedules liabilities at \$834.00 and assets at \$279, of which he says \$120, due to him as wages, is exempt.

## Marsh to Talk At Institute

Harry Marsh, field representative of the American Jersey Cattle Club will speak at the Thursday morning session of Empire Grange Institute. He is spending the week in Scotch county visiting Jersey breeders and will address these men Thursday evening when they meet at the Washington hotel.

## OBITUARY

**James A. Silliman**  
(Franklin)

James A. Silliman died Saturday at his home in Andis, after an extended illness. He was 63 years and 3 months of age. He was a faithful member of the Methodist church and a member of the Wellston Lodge of Odd Fellows. His wife and two brothers, Will, of Franklin Furnace, and John, of West Virginia, and four sisters, Mrs. Margaret Mitchell, of the Vice, Mrs. Belle Howell, of Franklin, Mrs. Mary Anne of Portsmouth and Mrs. Katie Titus, of Portsmouth, survive. Funeral services were held at the Sugar Creek Baptist church Monday morning at 10 o'clock, with Rev. Lightner, of Coal Grove, in charge.

Interment was in Sugar Creek cemetery.

**Adam Fiddler**  
After a lingering illness of complications, death about 2:15 o'clock Monday afternoon claimed Adam Fiddler, 65, who was a resident of New Boston, who passed away in Hampstead hospital, where he had been a patient for about a week.

Mr. Fiddler was born in Pike county and spent most of his life there. He was almost 70 years of age. His birthday being January 10, 1854. Forty-four years ago he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Jane Nole. She died in New Boston in 1901. For the past 25 years Mr. Fiddler had made his home with his son, Charles W. Fiddler, well known grocer of New Boston.

In addition to his only son, he leaves two grandchildren and several brothers and sisters. He was widely known in New Boston, where he had a wide circle of friends, who will be sorry to learn of his passing.

Funeral services will be held from the home of the son, Charles W. Fiddler, in New Boston, Thursday morning at ten o'clock, with Rev. James Marshall of Immanuel Baptist church in charge. Burial will be in Lucasville cemetery.



LINER RESCUES SHIP CRIPPLED BY RUM PIRATES. The lifeboat crew of the President Harding, which last Wednesday evening went to the rescue of those aboard the schooner Veronica, disabled off Nova Scotia by rum pirates, who put compass and chronometer out of commission after looting vessel.

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## Business Men "Loosening Up"

"One, two, three, four, forward, bend, upward stretch." Puffs and pants and sweating brows. The floor of the Royal Savings and Loan hall must have protested a bit last night for the girth-control class was doing its exercises in physical education.

C. L. Adams, physical director, has organized a class of 25 business men who will meet twice a week to take exercises designed to preserve their "fingers" and banish any tendency to the day-window type of architecture. Who's in it? Guess!

## SCIOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Sunshine, were guests recently of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

Perry Marquard continues to recover from a broken left arm which he sustained several weeks ago.

Mrs. William Toland of Castle Hill, who has been ill for several weeks, is improving.

Samuel Wolff of Springdale, is improving slowly from an illness with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conklin were recent guests of relatives at Long Meadow.

A. P. Arthur of Swauger Valley who has been ill for sometime remains about the same.

**WHEELERSBURG**

Mr. and Mrs. George Senone and sons, George Douglas and Thomas Dee, of New Boston, were recent guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harr of Pine Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Knore of Dogwood Ridge, have returned from Minford where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bennett.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Davis, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to be present. A "passing party" will be a feature of the evening.

The Whatsoever Class of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Brown with Mrs. Harper Preston and Mrs. Callahan Blair as assistant hostesses. A "passing party" will be a feature of the meeting.

Mrs. George Koch will entertain the Social Club on Thursday, December 18th. A "passing party" will be a feature of this meeting.

## Fess and Willis Can't Agree On New Judge For Southern Ohio

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press)—Here is the Ohio senatorial lineup on the appointment of a new judge for the Southern District of Ohio to succeed John E. Sater, resigned:

Senator Willis is for District Attorney Benson Hough, of Cincinnati.

Senator Fess is for Congressman Israel Foster, of Athens.



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**Golden Dream Coffee**

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Both senators are opposed to Attorney General Stone in trying to find a third man.

Possibility of a compromise loomed today, however. Senator Willis may acquiesce to Fess for the appointment of Foster, if Fess will approve the appointment of Charles A. Jones, of Columbus, to be Internal Revenue Collector at Cleveland. Willis is for Jones for the collectorship and Fess has been for G. Norton, for the post.

**For And Against It**

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 2.—(By the United Press)—While Senator Willis today announced that he would vote to repeal income tax publicity legislation, Congressman Mooney, Democrat, of Cleveland, declared he would support its continuation.

**GALLIPOLIS**—Homer Burnett, 17, fatally injured when a gun in the hands of his companion, Paul Carter, 15, was accidentally discharged while the boys were hunting.

## YOUR BOY

See to it that he gets the body-building and strengthening elements that

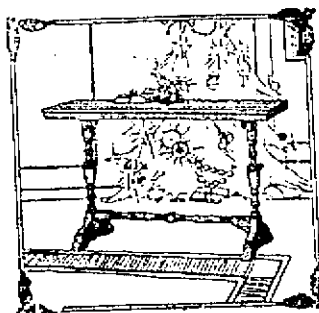
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## The Store of the Christmas Spirit

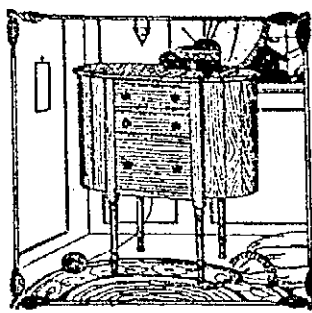
## Gifts for Grown-ups and Kiddies



DAVENPORT TABLE

In dull or polished mahogany, several styles to select from at this low price. Truly this makes a very charming Christmas gift.

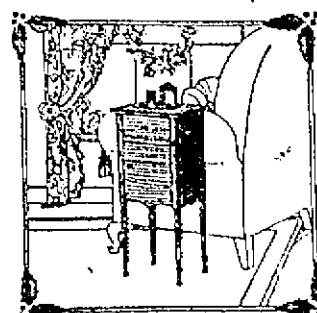
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SEWING CABINET

The joys of sewing are enhanced when so lovely a Martha Washington table is in the home. They are finished in rich mahogany.

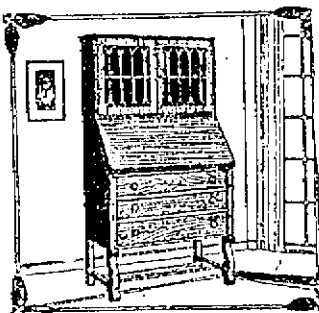
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Another series of smokers' articles are shown here for your approval. Your choice of many styles finished in mahogany or walnut.

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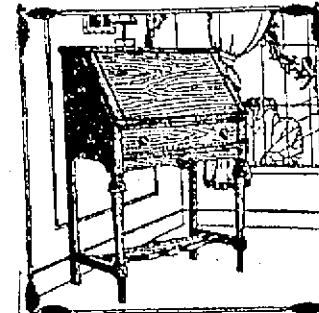
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END TABLE AND BOOK TROUGH

Combined in dull or brilliant finishes, many styles at

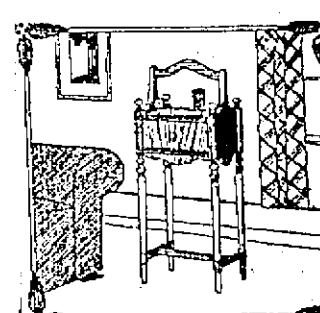
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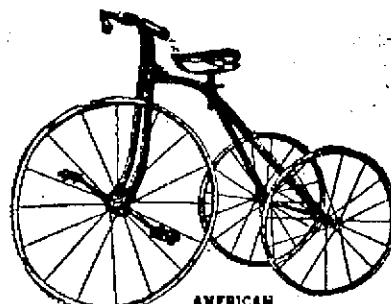
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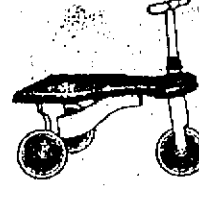
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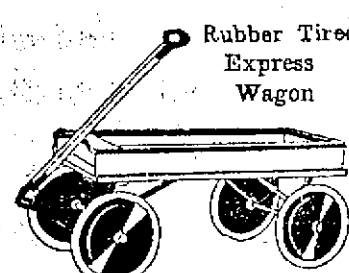
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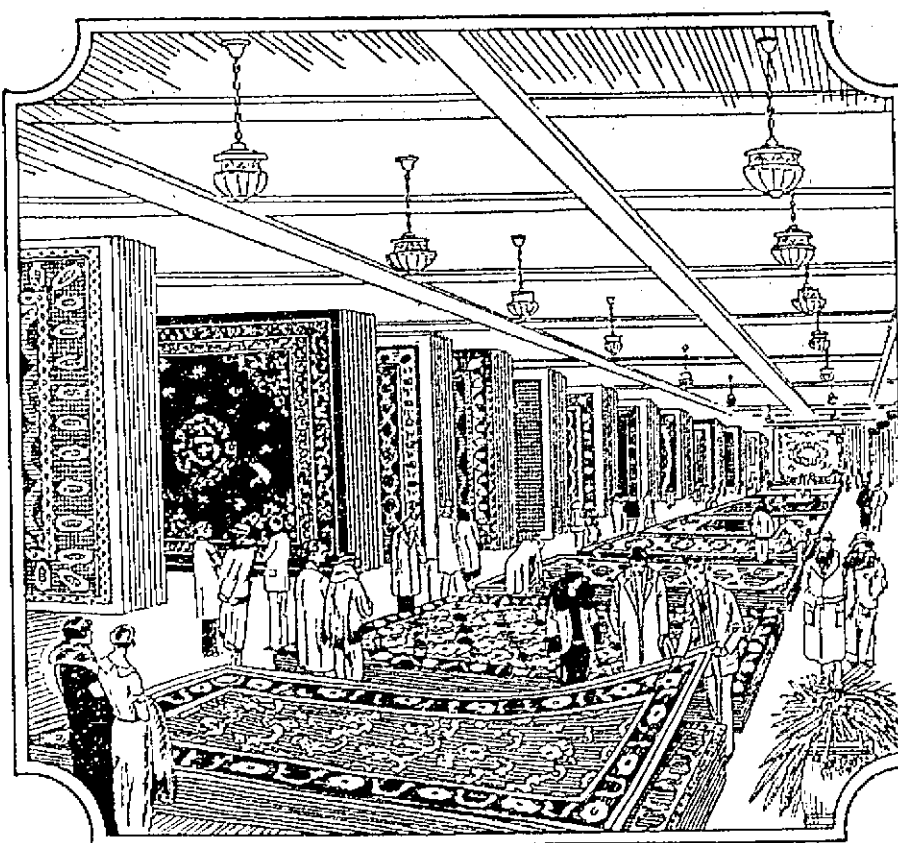


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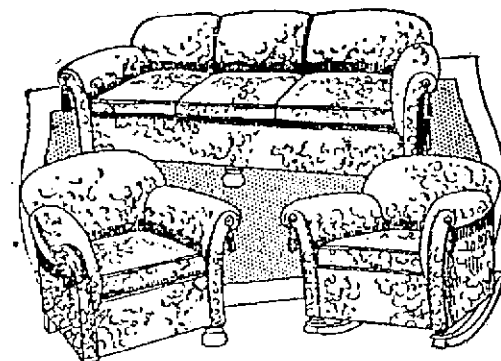
## GIFTS OF LONG REMEMBRANCE—Furniture and Rugs—Specials for Tomorrow



9x12 Seamless Axminster Rugs, extra high pile, in an array of colors . . . . . \$33.95

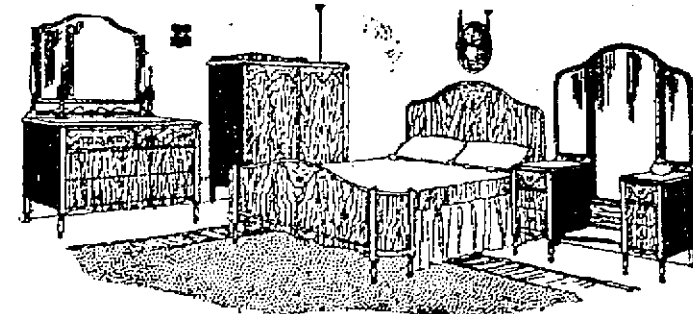
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Styles for men, women and children. Good grade felt with chrome soles.

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Fancy quilted satin boudoir slippers with braid and pom pom trim, all colors.

**SILK HOSE** ..... \$1.00 to \$3.00  
Come in all colors and grades. Put up in fancy boxes at small additional cost.

**SILK TIES** ..... 50c and \$1  
A nice selection in knit, silk and silk and wool, crepe ties, good range of patterns.

### JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

On Ready To Wear. We have gone over our entire stock of Ladies' Coats and Dresses and have marked them down to our regular January clearance prices. Now is the time to buy as we have a large stock to choose from.

**LADIES' \$75 AND \$85 COATS** ..... \$62.50  
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**LADIES' \$45 TO \$55 COATS** ..... \$37.50  
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**TOWEL SETS** ..... \$1.00 and \$1.50  
Pretty towel sets in both Turkish and Aereel. Come in many colors.

**FANCY TOWELS** ..... 25c to 85c  
We have a very nice selection of fancy Turkish towels at 25c, 50c and 85c.

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They come in beautiful colors and fancy jacquard designs.

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Fancy drawn work and embroidered cases in neat holiday boxes.

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They come in so many new and beautiful designs this year.

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Just the thing to take the place of a spread. Come in beautiful designs.

## MAY CLOSE LOCAL GAME PRESERVE FOR TWO YEARS

### Management of Vorhees Who Recently Resigned Is Criticized

COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—(A. P.)—Resignation of Frank Vorhees of Portsmouth, as supervisor of the Roosevelt State game preserve in Scioto county was announced here today by Dent O. Thompson, chief of the fish and game division of the department of agriculture.

Although Vorhees voluntarily tendered his resignation to Governor Donahy, effective December 1, it is known that the department was dissatisfied with the management of the preserve under Vorhees' administration, Thompson said, however that no charges would be preferred against Vorhees.

Thompson raised the question of the future of the game preserve today and said he was in a quandary in regard to the policy which his department would pursue toward the state-owned tract which was purchased with the intention of making it a public hunting ground and game preserve. He said the meeting would be held later this month to set out a definite policy to be followed in regard to the remaining land.

Opened in 1922  
The Roosevelt preserve was opened in 1922 with the understanding that it was to be opened to the public in five years for hunting purposes. Thousands of dollars have been spent on the preserve, Vorhees, he reported, killed many pheasants and he said reports recently had reached him that several deer had died.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 2.—(U. P.)—Abandonment of at least a two year closing of the state Roosevelt public shooting grounds in Scioto county appears probable today.

D. O. Thompson, chief of the state fish and game division said the final policy in regard to the game preserve depends upon a report to be made soon by the advisory committee.

Thompson's announcement indicated that things have not been going well at

### M. E. Convention Opens Here Wednesday

Bishop Theo. S. Henderson of Cincinnati will be the main speaker at a district M. E. convention to be held at Trinity church Wednesday and Thursday. The convention opens Wednesday afternoon with sessions in the afternoon and evenings. Ministers from all sections of Portsmouth M. E. district will be on the program. Delegates and visitors are expected from the various churches in the district. The M. E. ladies of this city should make an effort to attend each session.

### NEW TAX RATE IS IN EFFECT

Treasurer Henry B. Ruel was prompted Tuesday to remind taxpayers that the new tax rate of \$2.40 for every \$100 tax valuation on the duplicate will be in effect for the first week of January.

Persons sending in their taxes by mail are requested to govern themselves accordingly. A number of persons have already sent in their remittance under the old rate, which causes much confusion.

### K. of P. Deputies Will Meet Here

A meeting of county and lodge deputies of the Knights of Pythias of this district will be held Wednesday evening at the American restaurant.

Judge E. E. Corn of Tronon, District Deputy, has called the meeting which will be attended by Grand Chancellor A. H. Kunkle of Springfield, Scioto, Lawrence and Jackson counties are in this district. Three county deputies and about 12 lodge deputies are expected to attend, along with Grand Trustee George J. Galka of this city. The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock in connection with a dinner.

### Program Starts Promptly at 2:30

Three planning to attend the C. Stevens and Twid exhibition of boats and the museum by Sam Morgenthaun to be given Wednesday afternoon at the Elks Club as a part of the Ladies' Musical series, should plan to reach the club by 2:15 as the program will start promptly at 2:30.

### Judge Holcomb Heads Bar Association; Admit New Members

Judge A. T. Holcomb was re-elected president of the Scioto County Bar Association at the annual election held in the Law Library, Masonic Temple, yesterday afternoon. Other officers chosen were: Judge George M. Osborn, vice president; John F. Johnley, secretary and F. W. Moulton, treasurer.

The balloting resulted in the naming Judge Holcomb, Judge J. S. Thomas, Judge G. M. Osborn, Henry T. Bannan and Edgar C. Miller as trustees. Howard C. Kirk, Louis Ransom and Cecile Todd were admitted as members of the association.

### Court House

**Wife Seeks Divorce**  
Mary E. Wolfe, New Boston, charges neglect and cruelty in her suit for divorce instituted Tuesday in Common Pleas court, against James Wolfe, 5213 Rhodes avenue, New Boston, steelworker, whom she married in April.

Plaintiff in her petition filed through Attorney B. F. Kimble complains that Wolfe has not only failed to provide her with the common necessities of life but says that he has compelled her to work and support herself, besides, she claims, he has frequently assaulted her, the last time on Oct. 9 last, when she says, he beat her and also cut her with a knife. Furthermore, she avers, he uses intoxicating liquors and frequently comes home drunk and claims he is then exceedingly quarrelsome and mean in disposition. She further says that on Oct. 12 he abandoned her without cause or justification other than he was tired of her, did not love her, and would not live with her.

**Held For Selling Pass**  
Murphy Green, negro, taken into custody recently by railroad detectives for alleged selling an N. & W. pass which he found, was taken to Cincinnati Tuesday by Detective Andy Leitz and turned over to the Federal authorities for prosecution in the United States District court.

**On Paternity Complaint**  
Thomas Foster, 20 years old, was taken into custody yesterday by county officers and is held at the county jail to answer to a paternity complaint made by Missouri Richardson, an unmarried young woman, who alleges that Foster is the father of her child.

Pending preliminary hearing in Squire George S. Morgan's court, it

**Two Bones Broken**  
Mrs. I. Albert 1224 Ninth street, sustained two broken bones in her left wrist when she fell at her home Monday.

**Operated Upon**  
Mrs. Otto Zedler, 2013 Babel avenue, underwent an operation in Hempstead hospital Monday.

### Franklin Ave. Church News

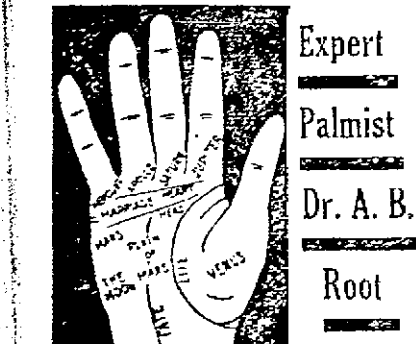
Milwaukee prayer services on Wednesday evening at 7:15.

On Thursday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock the Ladies Aid society will meet at the church. Hostesses, Mrs. Emma Wendrich, Mrs. Bertha Ransen, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Ella Bajer and Mrs. Mary Bodmer.

The monthly meeting of the Intermediate League will be held on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A feature of the social hour will be a playing party.

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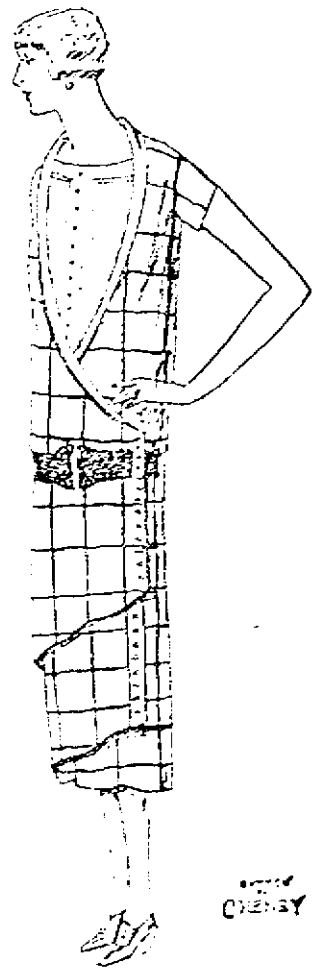
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Over Red Cross Drug Store, Corner 7th and Chillicothe.  
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### "THE CAMPBELLS ARE COMING!" PLAIDS STEP INTO THE LIMELIGHT

THERE is something so bright, cheerful, and irresistible about plaids that one is always glad to see them make their appearance or rather reappearance in the pages of fashion. They have been much in evidence this year, principally as a trimming note, or in combination with plain material in ensemble fashion. They have added a dash to the mode which is comparable to the service rendered by saucy in the dress.

But here is a charming little dress which comes boldly, as one might say, "on plain plaids" and bids for favor, which it has no trouble in securing, for it presents a most attractively fresh and young aspect. Moreover it is a forerunner of the fashion fact of which we are apprised by Henri Greengaze, Cheney authority on style, that the plaid will be the dominating theme of the spring printed silk. But this is by way of digression only and something to tuck away in the corner of our minds until needed.

To come back to the dress under consideration, it is in colorings of grey and red, and is made in simple "crossed-over" style, fastening on the left side. There are two slightly shaped flounces, flapping one over the other, and with a row of buttons down the side as ornamentation. The bodice opens on a glimpse of grey Crepe Chenille with trimming of small white buttons. The sleeves are negligee and engaging. A wide red leather belt passing through a slit in the upper flounce gives the finishing touch to this simple and young frock.



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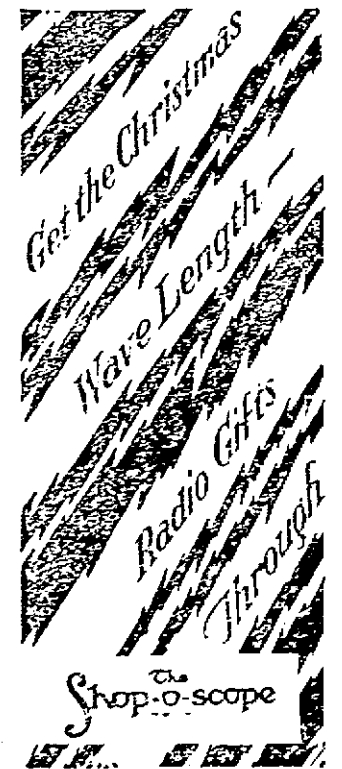
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**SOLVING A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.** Chauncey M. Dyer, slippy, long-haired chairman of the board of the New York Central railroad, is the popular man who has been solving the crossword puzzle for the past several years.



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### 15 Hurt

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ever, he said.  
R. H. Putnam, a Chicago retired  
business man on his way to Palm

beach with Mrs. Putnam, received serious head wounds on Thanksgiving Day when a wave smashed the port-hole of his D deck cabin and flooded the room. Mrs. Putnam suffered shock and both were treated by the ship's doctors. A. B. Moran, the Leviathan's banker, broke his shoulder in attempting to

avoid the crashing port hole of his cabin on F deck the same day. Jack Lawson, of Brooklyn, had his arm broken under similar circumstances, also on Thanksgiving Day, when the big ship was fighting storms off the Grand Banks. Three stewards, later the same day,

were hurled down a companion way, two of them suffering broken arms and the third being badly bruised. The 10 passengers in first and second class cabins, suffered minor injuries, the result of rolling of the giant vessel under the blows of winds and seas.

Aboard the Leviathan returned the members of the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox teams which played exhibition games in Great Britain and France. Most of the players and members of their families took the storm as a matter of course, but "Red" Faber, Sox pitcher, did not leave his cabin once during the passage. "Stuffy" McInnis, Giant infielder, and Mrs. McInnis, lost some clothing when the waves crashed in two of their cabin port holes.

Manager John J. McGraw, of the Giants, said he did not deplore the financial failure of the series, as the trip proved an excellent missionary expedition. The finer points of the game were beyond the English and French, he said, but he was undaunted and intended to return next year.

Gales which whipped the sea into forty foot waves on Wednesday, increased their fury on Thanksgiving. On Friday and Saturday off the Grand Banks, the Leviathan had to slow down. She logged only 241 miles Friday and 203 on Saturday. At times the wind whipped out of the north at a 100 miles an hour fury, with many waves breaking over the ship.

### Secure License

According to the Irontonian a marriage license was granted to Ironton to Carl Powell, 22, and Ida Kurker, 21, both of Portsmouth.

### Governor Refuses To Intervene; Murderers Must Go to Chair

COLUMBIA, S. C., December 2.—(By the United Press)—Mortimer N. King, and Frank Harrell must pay with their lives Friday for the murder of Major Samuel H. McCleary, of the U. S. Army.

Final hope of the youthful slayers of the army officer for executive clemency

laded today following formal announcement by Governor Thomas. McLeod, that he would not interfere with the sentence of the court.

Major McCleary was robbed and slain on a lonely road after giving King and Harrell a "lift" in his automobile.

### PROMINENT MERCHANT FOUND MURDERED

HARRISBURG, PA., December 2.—(By the United Press)—The body of Amos P. Kitchen, prominent merchant was found in Paxton Creek today with aghast over the right ear. Kitchen last night attended a meeting of the ex-

stone Grocers' Association, of which he was treasurer. He left with a large sum of collections for holding their annual banquet.

The money, his watch and personal belongings were missing.

### Thief Visits Banquet Hall

A bold sneak thief entered the plumbers' hall last night during the banquet and made a safe getaway with four hats and an overcoat. Among those who lost their headgear was William West, city plumbing inspector, who, despite the cold weather, was forced to go home hatless.

### Leaves Hospital

F. Barker, N. & W. brakeman of Chillicothe, who sustained a scalp wound Saturday evening while at work in the N. & W. yards at East Portsmouth, was dismissed from Hempstead hospital Monday.

### Business College Teams Will Clash

A "thous" meeting of the students of the Portsmouth College of Business will be held in Wilhelmette Hall tonight with basketball games between the first and the second teams, in both the boys' and girls' leagues, as the chief points of interest in the program. Carrie Wilson is captain of the girls' team and Walter Brodbeck captains the

boys. The student body has been rehearsing cheers and yells under the direction of Evelyn Ramey of South Portsmouth, cheer-leader.

### Games Scheduled

The girls' basketball team from the Portsmouth College of Business has scheduled the following games: South Webster, Friday, December 5; New Boston, December 13; Otway, December 19.

# FORD

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New Prices Now In Effect

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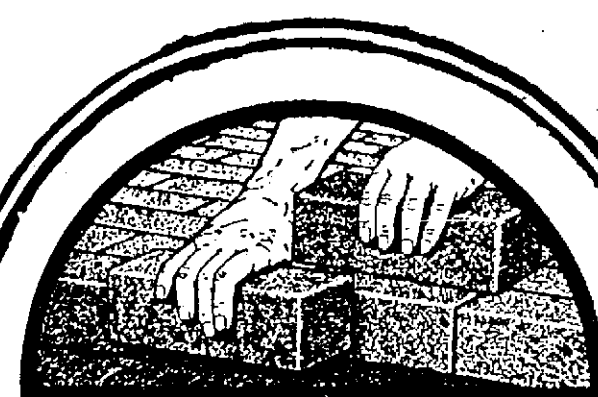
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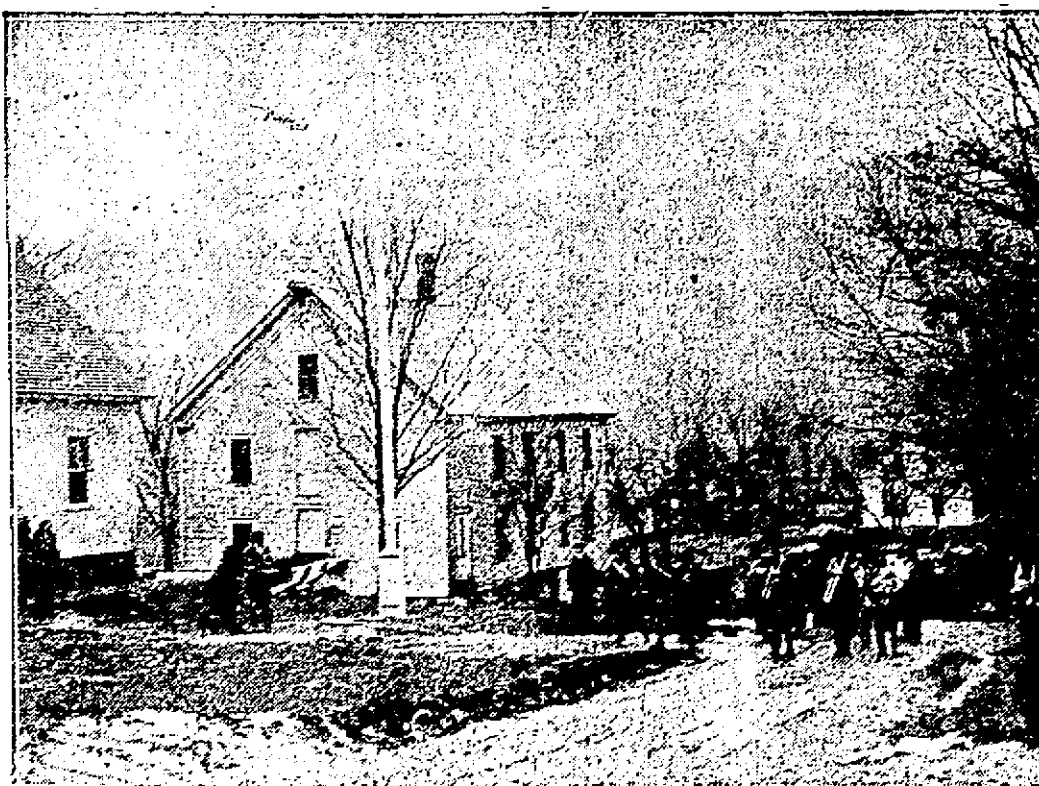
If a pavement, financed by long-term bonds, costs \$3 a square yard and wears out in 10 years, obviously it is more expensive than one that costs \$4 a square yard, but lasts 25 or 30 years. Thirty-year-old BRICK pavements are common.

## VITRIFIED Brick

PAVEMENTS—OUTLAST THE BONDS

National Paving Brick Manufacturers Assn.

Cleveland, Ohio



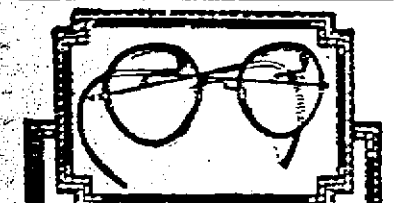
COOLIDGE FLAGPOLE DEDICATED at Plymouth, Vt. The birthplace of the President honors the memory of Captain John Coolidge, a soldier of the Revolution and the great-grandfather of the Chief Executive, by dedicating the flagpole, a gift from the Massachusetts Society, at the old village schoolhouse. Colonel Coolidge, the President's father, stands with the flag as the band heads the procession up the hill in a heavy rain.



## To Resume Law Practice

IRONTON, O., Dec. 2.—W. L. Elkins, who will resume as prosecuting attorney on January 1, 1925, and J. J. Layne, who will resume as common pleas judge in February, 1925, will resume the practice of law here, according to announcements made by them.

**FIRE SWEEPS BUILDING**  
NEW ORLEANS, La., Dec. 2.—The American Railway Express Company's building here was swept by fire today, damage amounting to approximately \$100,000. The central office and storage rooms were swept by the flames which raged for several hours threatening for a time to destroy other downtown buildings.



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And every hour thereafter including  
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First car 7:00 A. M. and every hour  
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The above list is just a few of the more popular resorts.  
Tickets good for return until June 15, 1925, and permit of stopover at any point en route on the going or return trip.  
City Ticket Office,  
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## For Stiff Joints

Pharmacists say that when all other failed remedies have been tried, it is for joint ailments only—that is why you are advised to use it for work, painful, stiffened joints.  
Joint-Ease rubbers stop the joints—clean and penetrating and quick results are assured—Stiff joints a cure at Fisher & Seckel's Pharmacy and drugstore everywhere.  
Always remember, when Joint-Ease goes in joints, they go out—quick—no delay.

## Leaders Of Congress Give Views On the 68th Congress

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press.)—Here is what the leaders say about their session of congress opening today:

Senator Charles E. Curtis, Republican: “We have a big program but we will do well if we only succeed in passing the necessary appropriation bills for the next fiscal year. We have seven agricultural bills of importance, which probably will not be considered until some recommendation comes from the president’s agricultural committee, considering necessary for relief. We have ten other important measures on the calendar, including the Pepper world court resolution, a bill for departmental reorganization, construction of public buildings and settling contested elections in the senate.”

Senator Joseph T. Robinson, Democrat: “We will co-operate with the majority in adopting necessary appropriation bills. There seems an increasing disposition for settlement of the Muscle Shoals question and that may be considered. The bill for repeal of the Pullman surcharge, remains to be passed. There are many bills for revision of railroad rates and for relief of agriculture which must be considered.”

Senator George W. Norris, Republican leader of the mid-west farm bloc: “Farm relief legislation must be considered but I doubt if it will be disposed of. I hope the question as to government operation of Muscle Shoals will be passed upon. It certainly has waited long enough.”

Chairman Reed Smoot of the senate finance committee, a leader of congress in financial matters: “This must be a business and not a political session. There must be no pork barrels and economy must be practiced to the greatest possible degree.”

“Then when we come to the end of our fiscal year the last of June, we will find a surplus big enough to enable us to go to work upon a further reduction of taxes. I believe an extra session of congress will then be called, probably in September, to provide a complete reduction of taxes all along the line on a sound economic basis unlike the present law.”

## Nominations Are Sent To Congress

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the Associated Press.)—Several scores of nominations, many of them covering appointments made during the recess of congress, were sent to the capitol today by President Coolidge.

The nominations included those of Howard M. Gore, of West Virginia, to be secretary of agriculture; Wilbur J. Carr, New York, and John Van A. McMurray, New Jersey, assistant secretaries of state; James Rockwell Sheffield, New York, ambassador to Mexico; and Edgar A. Baneroff, Illinois, ambassador to Japan.

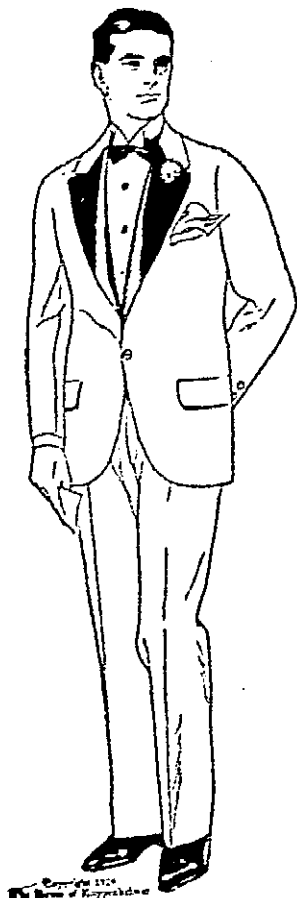
Other nominations included Assistant Attorney General William J. Donovan, of New York.

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## Gift Hosiery

Lisle hose in all the shades, 35c, 3 pair for \$1.00.

Fiber silk hose, 50c per pair.

Pure thread silk hose 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.

Imported wool and silk and wool hose, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 per pair.

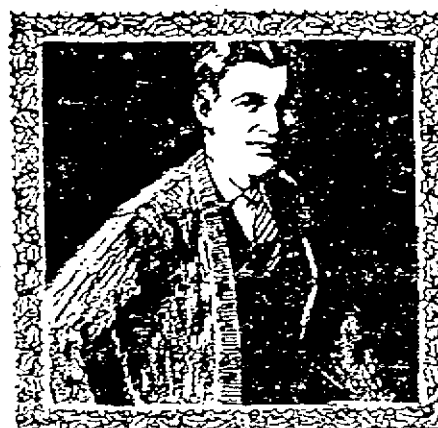


## Bathrobes The Useful Gift

A large showing of newest designs in bath robes. Dad, brother or friend will be pleased with one of these wonderful robes, \$5, \$7.50, \$10, \$15.

## Bradley Sweaters

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Bradley Shakers in coat style, also pull overs in any shade and every garment of Bradley standard.

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## The Appreciated Gifts

A nice warm Bradley Sweater will please any one old or young, and will give service for the whole year.

## Gloves the Ideal Gift

What more useful or appropriate than a pair of gloves.

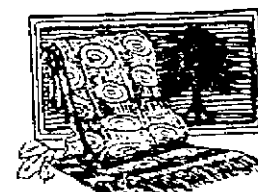
Dress gloves in cape and mocha leathers, \$2 to \$5.

Wool lined gloves, \$2 to \$5.

Fur lined gloves, \$7 and \$7.50.

Wool gloves, \$1, \$1.50, \$2.00.

Auto driving gloves \$2.50 to \$6.



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A Fine Gift  
A Silk Lounging  
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## Men's Cozy Slippers

Felt slippers in all styles, \$1 to \$3. Extra fine quality kid slippers in brown, all styles, \$3.50 and \$4.00.



## Housewives, Here's Chance to Brush Up Your Cooking; An Expert at the Distel Store

(Sydney Strange)

Alas and Alack! Our working women sent up to the cooking demonstration at the store of the Distel Furniture Company just in time to see the case meat and vegetables go into the oven. Isn't that tough luck? A wonderful leg of lamb, savory potatoes, sweet potatoes, prunes, and a collection of raisins, cracker crumbs, molasses and salt, which Mr. Stewart called Lafayette pudding; all of these went into the oven about 11 o'clock, and presto! the women who gathered for the demonstration this afternoon found a delicious dinner ready to serve at 2:30. Reporters can't get away at that hour, more's the pity. There was Angel Food cake, too.

The demonstration is under the direction of Harry A. Stewart of St. Louis.

If any housewife wants to bake a cake this week and would like help, she may do the baking at the Distel demonstration. Mr. Stewart will furnish ingredients, supervise the mixing and adjust the oven temperature. Wednesday's demonstration will include the preparation of dinner. Thursday a ham will be baked after the manner in which it is cooked at the Hotel Hollenden.

### SOCIETY

Mrs. G. A. Reinhard and daughter, Virginia, and Mary Ann went to Williamsport, Pa., today to visit Mr. Reinhard who has been transferred there by the N. & W. They were accompanied by Mrs. Reinhard's mother, Mrs. Alice Kane of 1148 Third street, who will spend several weeks with them.

Mrs. Dell Bromley (Ruth Hunter), a bride of recent date, was presented a surprise miscellaneous shower Saturday evening at the home of her sister, Miss Ira Blum on Pine street, New Boston. Mrs. Bromley is assistant superintendent of Hempstead hospital and the guest list included a number of nurses and a few additional friends. After presenting the bride with a basket of gifts for her new home, the remainder of the evening was spent in games, music and conversation. Later a prettily appointed tea course was served by Misses Zolma Blum and Lucy and Ella Linn to the following:

Mrs. Dell Bromley, Misses Lucy and Ella Linn, Daisy Wallace, Emma Serfstein, Lida Ebermann, Ethel Cole, Blanche Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth Uteck, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKeight and son Junior, Messrs. Robert Poole, Waldo Mault, Luther Mault.

The Ladies' Relief Society of the First Evangelical church will hold their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Sunday School room of the church. Important business will come up for discussion and all members are urged to attend.

## BUTLER PUT ON SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, December 2.—(By the United Press)—William M. Butler, chairman of the Republican National Committee, and now senator from Massachusetts, has been placed on the senate judiciary and naval affairs committee by his colleagues.

Committee chairman chosen by the Republicans include Borah, foreign relations; Canning, judiciary, and Hiram Johnson, immigration.

Senators Edge, New Jersey, and McClean, Connecticut, received two important vacant posts on the foreign relations committee.

The selection was made by the Republican committee on committee assignments. To election, although the nominations will not be confirmed until tomorrow by the Republican caucus.

Behind the Walt Movement will be the subject of an address to be delivered before the local Exchange Club by Dr. Tisdall, general secretary of Ohio Exchange Clubs, Wednesday evening. The meeting will be held at the Avanti and starts at 8:30.

## Will Address Exchange Club

Dr. Tisdall is a splendid speaker and it is hoped there will be a big turnout of the members to greet the distinguished visitor.

Change of Venue Denied In Hopkins Case in Vanceburg

VANCEBURG, Ky., Dec. 2.—(Special To The Times)—Judge W. C. Hubbert, late yesterday overruled a motion for a change of venue in the case of W. D. Hopkins, hotel and pool room owner charged with the fatal shooting of Fred Armstrong, 10, several months ago.

Arguments for the change in venue were made Monday afternoon and the trial was ordered to start Tuesday afternoon. The regular panel of 25 prospective jurors was soon exhausted and examination of a second panel of 25 was well underway by 2 o'clock this afternoon. All of tomorrow morning is expected to be consumed before a jury is secured.

Mrs. Harold Flood will entertain the members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge Club on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Lewis, Eighth and Gay streets.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., December 2.—(By the Associated Press)—Dr. George I. Edwards, prominent physician of Fairfield, a suburb of Birmingham, was arrested this afternoon on a coroner's warrant, charging him with the murder of his wife early today.

Operated Upon

Miss Corn McAdaw of Peebles, night supervisor at Hempstead hospital, was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis Monday and submitted to an operation Tuesday afternoon.

Goes Under Knife

Mrs. Carrie Kellar, 1218 Eighteenth street, bookkeeper for Lechner and Jordan, underwent an operation at Hempstead hospital Tuesday.

## Guinea Pig Experiment Shows Mrs. Sheatsley Was Dead Before The Body Entered Furnace

COLUMBUS, O., December 2.—(By the United Press)—The guinea pig experiment performed by pathologists seeking to aid authorities solve the Rexley furnace mystery, indicated that Mrs. Addie Sheatsley, Lutheran pastor's wife, was dead before her body entered the parsonage furnace.

This, in brief, was the report laid before John R. King, county prosecutor, this afternoon by Dr. H. M. Brundage.

The pathologist, who reported to authorities after a lengthy examination of Mrs. Sheatsley's charred remains, declared that his experiments indicated the victim did not breathe after entering the fire box.

Dr. Brundage and Charles Long, chemist, worked together on the guinea pig experiment. By casting two live animals into the furnace fire where the check was fraudulent.

The police were notified and Chief Arthur threw a cordon of officers over the city in an effort to locate the man.

According to the bank officials, the stranger wore a dark brown overcoat, grey trousers, a sweater vest, was medium height and had a dark complexion. Other cities have been notified by the police to keep a sharp lookout for a man answering to this description.

He entered the bank with the check on a Columbus bank, and had letters of recommendation from the Distel Furniture Company and Sommers and Son Hardware Co., which he had forged.

Earlier in the afternoon the man sent the check to the Portsmouth Banking Company by two school children, but the bank refused to give the children the money because of their age.

Police this afternoon were concentrating their energies in an effort to round up one of the smoothest forgers that has operated in this city for a long time. He succeeded in victimizing the Central National Bank out of \$712 over the bad check route, shortly after the noon hour today and then gently faded into the landscape.

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Mrs. Sheatsley's body was found and letting them cremate for several minutes, the scientists believed they could learn something of the perplexing death of the pastor's wife.

What they learned, according to their reports, was that while specimens of Mrs. Sheatsley's blood showed no traces of carbon monoxide, whatever the blood of the little pigs, which actually died in the fire box, was "literally saturated with carbon monoxide."

Had Mrs. Sheatsley been alive when she entered the furnace, she certainly would have inhaled this poisonous gas and traces of it would have been perceptible in her blood, the pathologist said.

This scientific conclusion, Prosecutor King said, indicates very clearly that Mrs. Sheatsley was murdered and her body cremated into the fire in an attempt to cover up the crime, but it does not aid materially in a solution of the mystery.

Who killed Mrs. Sheatsley, if it was a case of murder, remains as much a puzzle as before the scientists reported.

## Vance, Brooklyn Star, Is Declared Most Valuable Player

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 2.—Manager Branch Rickey, of the St. Louis National League, expressed disappointment today that Rogers Hornsby, his star second baseman, had failed to receive the National League most valuable player award.

Hornsby, however, who established a world's batting record of .423 in the season just closed, did not appear to mind the award which placed him second to pitcher Dazzy Vance of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

"I have no criticism to make," Hornsby said. "It's all right with me. More power to Vance. He's a great pitcher."

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Leather handbags and purses, all the newest shapes, \$1.98 to \$6.50.

Fancy boxed stationery, all shades, 25c to \$2.00.



## HAPPY CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Men's boxed Xmas Ties, all kinds, boxed.  
Silk Knit Ties ..... 50c, \$1, \$1.98  
Silk Ties ..... 59c and \$1.00.

Gift Umbrellas, all colors, complete line ..... \$1.00 to \$10.00

Boxed Hdkfs., a real line, priced at 25c to \$2.00.

Men's Hdkfs., in all linen cambric, fancy woven borders, fancy initials, etc.

Toilet Sets, something new, real values ..... \$2.25 to \$30.00

Smoking Stands, mahogany and natural finish ..... \$1.65 up

Towels, fancy Xmas towels \$1.65 up

## Hundreds of Other Gifts Too Numerous To Mention

### TOYLAND DOWN STAIRS STORE

Drums, all kinds ..... 48c up

Mechanical Toys, of all kinds ..... 48c to \$1.50

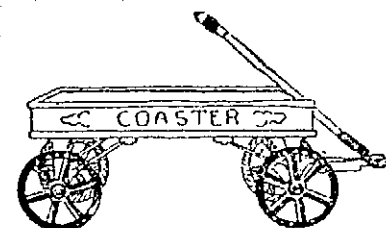
Toy Automobiles, well made.

Artificial Xmas Trees, 5 sizes.

Xmas tree lights ..... \$1.25 to \$2.98 set

Extra lamps for tree sets ..... 10c

Tinker Toys, complete line.



Coaster Wagons, large size, ball bearing, rubber tires, strong made ..... \$7.00

Iron Wagons, 3 sizes.

Hundreds of gifts to gladden the hearts of boys and girls, in Bragdon's Toyland, Downstairs Store.

### Second Floor Ready-to-wear—Useful Gift Suggestions

Silk crepe de chine gowns ..... \$4.98 and \$6.50

Silk crepe de chine gowns ..... \$1.98 and \$2.98

Silk jersey pettibockers ..... \$3.98 and \$4.98

Silk jersey costume slips ..... \$2.98

Corduroy bath robes ..... \$3.48 to \$5.79

Shadow stripe satine pettibockers, black and colors

Regular sizes ..... 98c

Extra sizes ..... \$1.29

### THIRD FLOOR GIFT ITEMS

Table Lamps, complete ..... \$2.70 to \$12.50

Bridge Lamps, complete ..... \$12.50 to \$16.50

Junior Lamps, complete ..... \$16.50 to \$25.00

Beacon Indian Blankets ..... \$4.25 to \$5.25

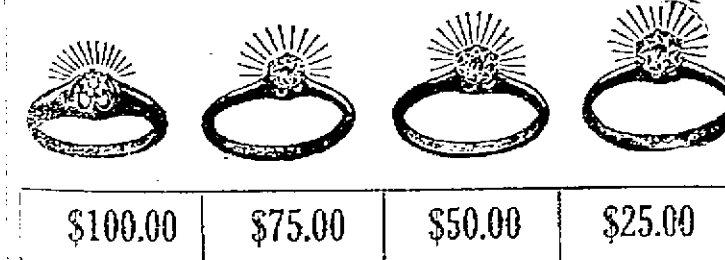
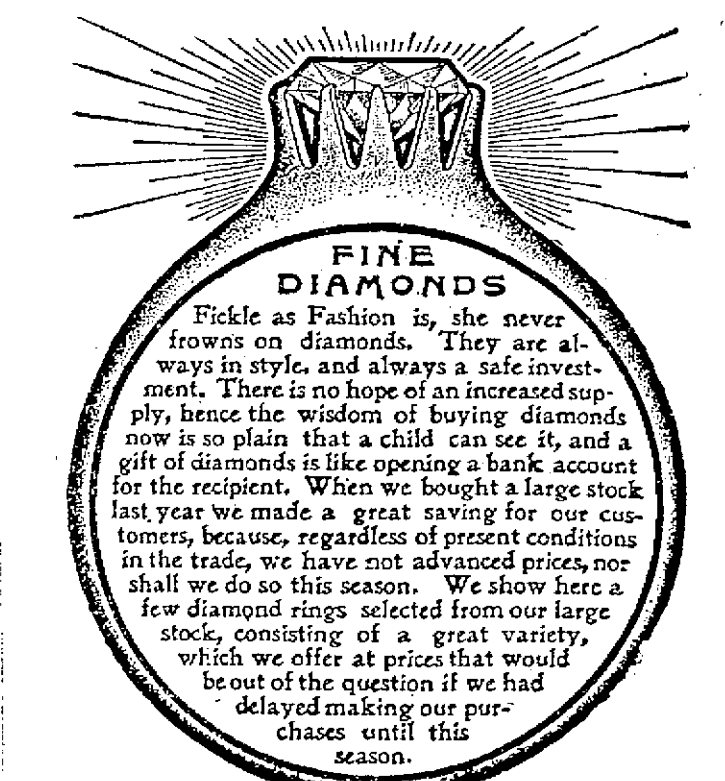
Beacon bath robe blankets with cords ..... \$5.00

Cedar Chests ..... \$16.75 to \$29.75

# The Bragdon Dry Goods Co.

Store Accommodating

## CHRISTMAS DIAMONDS



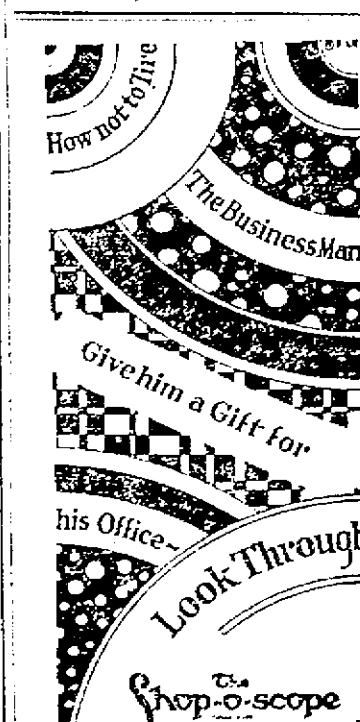
### Invest Your Christmas Club Money

In one of our fine diamonds, it will increase in value while you are wearing it. You can select your mounting from a wonderful collection of new 18k white gold settings. Select it now and have it reserved until Christmas.

Chas. Joellner & Co.  
829 GALLIA ST. — opp. Columbia Theatre



KING GEORGE'S CHAPLAIN.  
The divine whose picture is attached herewith is the Rev. Cyril Alington, chaplain of King George of England, and is headmaster of Eton College, where some of the crowned heads of Europe received their schooling.

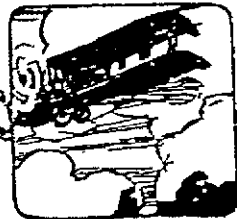


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The Business Man  
Give him a Gift for  
his Office—  
Look Through  
The Shop-o-scope





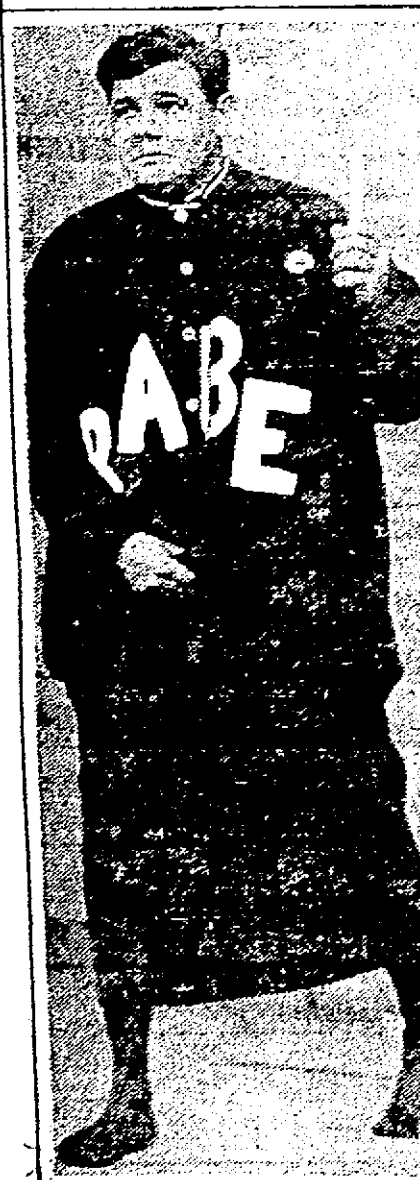
# The Day's News in Pictures



**DECORATED BY FRANCE**—David Belasco, noted producer, (center) being invested with insignia of the Legion of Honor by Firmin Gémier, famed French actor now appearing in this country, in recognition of his contributions to stagecraft. The spectator is Otto Kahn, international financier.



**SPECTATOR OF SANGUINARY SCENES**—The centuries old Sphinx (left). British forces are attempting to stamp out fires of rebellion flaring up among Egyptian troops, following the enforcement of heavy demands upon Egypt as a result of the assassination of Maj. Gen. Sir Lee Stack. Above are seen some of the Sudanese soldiers with whom General Allenby (right), the British commander, must cope.



**MRS. SHERLOCK HOLMES**—Miss Maud West, London's only woman detective, is making a name for herself as a crime investigator. She is seen in mannish attire, which she often affects for purposes of disguise.



**ARAB ENVOY**—M. Joury, is visiting the U. S. as president of a mission intended to study conditions among Arabs in the country. There are 500,000 of them in America, he says.



**BIRDING FOR BATTLE**—Four senators, read out of the Republican party for aiding the "Third Party" movement in the recent election, are preparing to fight to prevent being shifted into obscurity in the upper house. They are (left to right) Lynn Frazier, North Dakota; Smith Wildman Brookhart, Iowa; Edwin F. Ladd, North Dakota; Robert M. La Follette, Wisconsin.

**ROCK-A-BYE BABE, GO TO SLEEP**—Good night! It's George Herman Ruth, the bambino, in his dream duds. The picture was taken when he visited a movie studio in Hollywood.

**IMPERIAL BEAUTY**—The Princess Nashimoto, seen in western attire, is often referred to as the most beautiful member of the Japanese nobility.



**WATER SKIS**—Are now providing thrills for sports enthusiasts in Germany. They are an invention of Otto Saur, young German, who is seen demonstrating them.



**WORLD'S LARGEST BOOK**—It has 1,000 pages and weighs 510 pounds. It was ordered by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce as a visitor's register. The young woman enthroned upon it is Anna Muntz, a native daughter.



**ALL HIGHEST FOR ANOTHER TEN YEARS**—Tony Tommy, glimmered here while fishing, has just been selected chief of the Seminoles, last of America's wild tribes, for a decade. The tribe inhabits the Everglades of Florida.



**A REAL WITCH**—They still believe in the efficacy of evil spirits in many parts of China and witches are all powerful in their respective communities. This one is seen with her sword, prepared to combat the black hosts.











## Select Your Gifts From The Shop-O-Scope

### Christmas Gift Suggestions

**Gifts For Him**

MEN'S SHIRTS—In Arrow and Dunlap brands. \$2.00 up. St. Straus, 418 Chillicothe.

MOTORMETERS—NICKLEDEE RADIATOR CAPS—Wings, spotlights, windshield wipers, stop lights, spark plugs, cigar lighters, windshield cleaners and a hundred and one other items to make the motorist's heart glad and his car more serviceable.

PHIL JACOBS APPTO SUPPLY  
737-3rd, Next to Anderson's.

POCKET KNIVES—60c and up. Full line of watches, ingersolls and others \$1.50 up. Win Nye's Drug Store, 211 Chillicothe St.

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THE MANUAL—HE WILL ENJOY—The player piano that is all but human. Grand prize \$104.

BALDWIN PIANO CO.  
818 Chillicothe

THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM—IS SINGING—at  
820 Gallia

TRAVELLING BAG—GIVE HIM—A travelling bag. LANGWELL LUGGAGE SHOP Bond at Gallia

**Gifts For The Children**

A BICYCLE—WILL MAKE AN IDEAL GIFT—For your boy. McNEER-NASH CO. 489-2nd Street

A CHILD EXPECTS—Candy, fruits and nuts for Christmas. Ferrel Bros. 508 Second St.

AIR RIFLES—AND FOOT BALLS—All prices, best quality at

GLOCKNER'S HARDWARE  
Gallia and Gay

A KODAK—From Fowlers. AUTOMOBILES—Velocipedes, doll carriages, little cars, wagons, scooters, dolls, writing desks, tool chests. Lawson & Flood.

RABY RINGS—An appropriate gift. E. J. Staebler, 822 Gallia.

BALLS—Foot, volley and basket balls. Buy Reach goods always. Every article guaranteed. Hibbs Hardware Co.

BICYCLES—The famous "Tribune" in pale blue. Highest grade and price low. Buy a real bicycle this time. Hibbs Hardware Co.

BON BONNS—Assorted chocolates etc at the Classic.

BUY THEM—A BALDWIN PIANO—Or player piano. They will last them a life time. Terms to suit you. Toy pianos 25c.

BALDWIN PIANO CO.  
818 Chillicothe St.

CANDIES—CHRISTMAS—Is not complete without good candies from

THE CLASSIC  
Chillicothe St.

CANDIES—NET'S DRUG STORE  
211 Chillicothe St.

CHILDREN'S SEWING MACHINES—At St. John's child to sew. The Singer Sewing Machine Co., 1006 Gallia.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS—W. W. Kelly & Co., 922 Gallia.

DOORNS—FOR TOY WAGONS, SCOOTERS, DOLLS, DISHES, FOOTBALLS, ROLLER SKATES, AIR GUNS, BOXING GLOVES, BICYCLES, TOY CHAIRS. 741 SECOND ST.

DOLLS, TRAINS—Toy pianos, blocks, wagons, games, books. The Corner Book Store, 2nd and Chillicothe.

GENUINE FURNITURE CO.—Headquarters for kiddie cars, wagons, velocipedes, doll carriages, dolls, trains and pianos. 824 Chillicothe St.

GOOD BICYCLE—WILL MAKE—Your boy happy Christmas morning. McNEER-NASH CO. 489-2nd St.

### Christmas Gift Suggestions

**Gifts For The Children**

GAMES, DOLLS, TOYS—FOR THE CHILDREN. BRANDAU BOOK & STATIONERY CO. 804 CHIL-LICOthe ST.

IS HE AWAY AT SCHOOL—Subscribe for the Times for one year for him or her. An appreciated gift.

I THINK YOU CAN—AND I BELIEVE YOU WILL—Buy your Christmas goods at WIN NYE'S 211 Chillicothe

LIFE INSURANCE—Endowment or 20 pay life. Start the children right in life. Theo. D. Smith, Union Central Life Insurance, Royal Bldg. & Loan Bldg.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—Of every description. Win Nye's Drug Store, 211 Chillicothe St.

PETS—GUINEA PIGS, RABBITS, BANBITS, BANTAMS AND WHITE RATS. ORDER EARLY. WAMSER PET SHOP, CORNER SIXTH AND FINDLAY STS.

SPECIAL TULEMEBO ROLLS—FOR YOUR PLAYER MELODIES THE CHILDREN ASSOCIATE WITH CHRISTMAS. R. P. SEILER, 804 CHIL-LICOthe.

THE HUPMOBILE—WOULD MAKE—Every day seem like Christmas to the children. Why delay? THE WATKINS MOTOR CO. 1544 Gallia Phone 870.

TOY PIANOS 25c—BALDWIN PIANO CO. 818 Chillicothe St.

VELOCIPEDES—AND WAGONS—Priced right at GLOCKNER'S HARDWARE Gallia and Gay

WHILE YOU WONDER—They are wishing for a player piano. Get it at R. P. Seiler's, the Old Reliable Piano Store, 804 Chillicothe.

**Gifts For The Home**

ACCESSORIES FOR YOUR CAR—VASES, TIRE GAUGES, PARKING LIGHTS, NICKEL PLATED PLAYERS, MANY OTHER ACCEPTABLE ACCESSORY GIFTS FOR THE CAR. JOHNSON BROTHERS 926 Gallia

WILL GIVE RESULTS—Never before achieved by any car near the price. THE F. & M. MOTOR CAR CO. 1634 Gallia St.

A FORD SEDAN—A REAL PRESENT—For the whole family. UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO. 1112 Gallia St.

A LIVING ROOM—Bed room, dining room suite, Sonora phonograph, lamps and desks. Lawson & Flood.

ANNOUNCING TWO SWEEPERS IN ONE—A powerful suction and motor driven brush brings life to cleaner rugs. THE PORTSMOUTH PUBLIC SERVICE CO. 4th St. Just below Chillicothe Phone 3160

A PRETTY POTTED PLANT—FOR THE HOME—What is more appropriate? HERMS FLORAL CO.

BUY THEM A FORD SEDAN—A CHRISTMAS GIFT—That will please the whole family. UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO. 1112 Gallia St.

### Christmas Gift Suggestions

**Gifts For The Home**

ANY MODEL BUICK—Makes home complete. MacDonell Buick Co., 1028 Gallia.

CABINETS—Kitchen cabinets, all steel, white enameled. An enormous saving by buying these here. The Hibbs Hardware Co.

CHEVROLET SEDAN—The ideal car. A high grade car at a moderate price. Real economical transportation. See Smith, Chevrolet Sales Rooms, Second and Chillicothe.

CHRISTMAS IS NEAR AT HAND—ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS PETS EARLY. WAMSER PET SHOP, COR. SIXTH AND FINDLAY.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING OUTFITS—Artistic and beautiful colored bulbs and reflectors. Warnock Electric Co. 1542 Gallia.

OUTLERY—Rogers' Silverware, Hus-sell Carter's stainless kitchen knives, pocket knives, hunting knives, Hibbs Hardware Co.

DAD—GIVE US A PIANO OR PLAY-ER—For Christmas. R. P. Seiler, the Safest Place to buy. 804 Chillicothe.

DODGE SEDAN—PLEASE THE WHOLE FAMILY—Christmas morning with a car you will be proud of. The name insures satisfaction. JOHNSON BROTHERS 926 Gallia

DOGS OF ALL KINDS—THE AL-MOST HUMAN PETS. ORDER NOW. WAMSER PET SHOP, COR-NER SIXTH AND FINDLAY STS.

ELECTRIC IRONS—Toasters, perco-lators, grills, and waffle irons and heaters. Warnock Electric Co., 1542 Gallia.

FANCY GOLDFISH—EXTRAORDI-NARY ASSORTMENT. WAMSER PET SHOP, CORNER SIXTH AND FINDLAY STS.

FLANNO-KNIT SPORT BLOUSES—For men and women. Assorted checks, beautiful patterns. \$7.00. Wolff's.

GIFTS OF UTILITY—At the Hamlet Store. Stockham and Payne, Minford.

HAND PAINTED TABLE LAMPS—WE HAVE—The finest assortment in the city. Priced within your pocket-book. WILLIAM J. LIGHT 1542 Grant St. Phone 1078.

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IF YOU WANT—TO BE HAPPY—You must make oth-ers happy. Buy your Christmas goods at

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LET HIM BUY—That Buick for Christmas. A gift for the whole fam-ily. MacDonnell-Buick Co., 1028 Gal-lia.

MAKE THE WHOLE FAMILY HAPPY—BRING A FORD SEDAN HOME—Christmas morning. UNIVERSAL MOTOR CO. 1112 Gallia St.

MANTEL CLOCK—Our line of clocks are complete. E. J. Staebler, 823 Gallia.

MAXWELL CLUB SEDAN—LOW INITIAL COST—Low upkeep—and a beautiful car. THE F. & M. MOTOR CAR CO. 1634 Gallia St.

NASH SEDAN—A REAL CHRISTMAS GIFT—For the whole family. McNEER-NASH CO. 489-2nd St.

PIANOS FOR THOSE—WHO WANT THE FINEST—Instru-ments money can buy, we recommend the Famous Baldwin Pianos and Player Pianos. You will be pleased with the tone, attractive case design, splendid workmanship and their reason-able price. See us about a Special Offer for your old piano, player piano or talking machine. BALDWIN PIANO CO. 818 Chillicothe Street Portsmouth's Leading Piano House Open Evenings Phone 2027.

## Here Is the Place To Make Up Your List!

Here is the place to make up your mind what to get for each one for Christmas. On these pages you will find a complete list of Christmas gift suggestions. The concerns represented here have advertised their best offerings under the headings of "Gifts for Him," "Gifts for Her," "Gifts for the Children," "Dinner and Decoration." It will save time and money to shop through—

## The Shop-o-scope

Christmas Gift Suggestions	Christmas Gift Suggestions
<b>Gifts For The Home</b> OVERLANDS—"Buy Overlands First Because Overlands Last." F. E. Bowser, Robinson and Officere "Sta. Phone 139.	<b>Dinner And Decoration</b> ELECTRIC CHRISTMAS TREE CANDLE—The safest way to light your Christ-mas tree. It will have the best effect. THE PORTSMOUTH PUBLIC SERVICE CO. 4th St. Just below Chillicothe Phone 3160
OUR REPUTATION—Is a guarantee. Be sure to buy from R. P. Seiler, the old Reli-able Piano Store, 804 Chillicothe.	LEAVE YOUR ORDER—EARLY—For cut flowers for Christ-mas. HERMS FLORAL CO.
PIANOS—The one gift that will make the home complete. A good piano is a lasting gift that will help bring happiness and contentment. See our immense stock of high grade pianos and players. Invest-gate our unusual Christmas payment plan. Any one with a steady income may own one. R. P. Seiler, the Old Reliable Piano House, 804 Chillicothe.	ORANGES AND GRAPEFRUIT—50c per bush. Garland, Gallia street, oppo-site fruit house, C. Book, Phone 2360.
RADIANT FIRE HEATERS—As good for heat as beauty. Wm. J. Light, 1542 Grant St. Phone 1078.	REMEMBER—A PRETTY—Potted plant or cut flow-ers to adorn your table for Christ-mas dinner. HERMS FLORAL CO.
FLAXER, GRAND AND UPRIGHT PIANOS, PHONOGRAPHS—Made by World's largest manu-facturers. Starr Pianos 2nd St. near Chillicothe.	ROOMS AND BOARD Rooms With Board 67 3RD ST., 1230—Wanted four men to room and board in private home with all conveniences. Phone 2351. 4TH ST., 1014—Rooms for rent with or without board. HIGHLAND AVE., 1070—Two gentle-men roomers and boarders. Phone 407-X. WASHINGTON ST., 306—2 gentle-men boarders wanted. Rooms Without Board 68 4TH ST., 1242—2 front sleeping rooms for rent. Phone 795-JL. 7TH ST., 825—Modern sleeping room, one-half square above Chillicothe St. Phone 1751-J. CENTRALLY LOCATED — Three sleeping rooms for rent. All conven-ences. Gentlemen preferred. 513 Of-ficers St. COURT ST., 220—Furnished room with bath for middle aged or young lady. References required. FINDLAY ST., 107—Gentleman room-ers wanted. Private entrance. Also garage. SIXTH ST., 541—First class room for gentlemen. 2 squares from post office. Rooms For Housekeeping 69 4TH ST., 1312—2 furnished light housekeeping rooms. Bath, electri-city and heat furnished. 6TH ST., 1314—Large downstairs room furnished for light housekeep-ing. Private entrance. 6TH ST., 625—Light housekeeping room, very large. Private entrance. Phone 1589-X. 9TH ST., 1801—3 modern rooms for housekeeping, nicely furnished. All conveniences. Phone 440-X. 7TH ST., 1893—Two light housekeep-ing rooms furnished or unfurnished for man and wife. References requir-ed. Private entrance. 7TH ST., 730—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 8TH ST., 2310—2 light housekeeping rooms. Gas, electricity, both pri-vate



## Times Classified Advertising

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New seven room, Kella stone home, Hilltop, fine corner lot, hardwood floors, full size basement, combination gas and coal furnace, fruit room, pantry, breakfast room, sleeping porch, attic, tapestry mantel, French sliding doors, garage, drive. See this home before you buy. It is a real bargain. Price .....\$9,300.00



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Phones 196 and 2601.

## HOTEL FOR SALE

All fixtures and equipment of the St. Clair Hotel and Restaurant consisting of office fixtures and furniture contained in the 29 rooms is being sacrificed because of the fact that the owner is compelled to give up the business on account of ill health. This business has been a good paying proposition.

The present owner holds a lease on the property at a very reasonable rental and same can be transferred to the new purchaser. Call us for any further information if you are interested. Can be bought on reasonable terms.

Price complete \$5500.00.

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There's no fuss in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Mustard. Mustard is made of pure oil of mustard and other helpful ingredients, combined in the form of the present white plaster. It takes the place of mustard plasters, and will not blister. Mustard usually gives prompt relief from sore throat, bronchitis, toothache, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frost-bitten feet, colds of the chest (it may prevent pneumonia). To mothers: Mustard is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Mustard.



Better Than a Mustard Plaster

## Brought Out Of Shadows Of Death House For Re-Trial

(BY FRANK GETTY)  
(United Press Staff Correspondent)  
NEW YORK, December 2.—Out of the shadows of Sing Sing's death house, Mrs. Anna Buzzi was brought back to life today when she was granted a new trial. Mrs. Buzzi, who had been sentenced to hang for the murder of her husband, was brought back to life today when she was granted a new trial. The court of appeals awarded her a new trial.

Nearby, his two show dogs, which

## Sun Correspondent Has Taken a Bride

PIKETON, Dec. 2.—Miss Hazel Schuster, oldest daughter of Jacob Schuster of Piketon, Route No. 1, and Mr. Brooks Snyder, of Piketon were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. A. E. McCullough officiating. The bride before her marriage was employed at Columbus. Mr. Snyder conducts a barber shop in this village and is also correspondent for the Portsmouth Morning Sun. They will make their home in Piketon.

**NR TO-NIGHT**  
TOMORROW ALRIGHT

**A Vegetable Relief For Constipation**  
Nature's Remedy (NR Tablets) is a vegetable laxative with a pleasant, pleasant-tasting action. Relieves constipation and eases headache. Tones and strengthens the digestion and assimilation.

**Chips off the Old Block**  
NR JUNIORS—Little NRs. The same NR—in one-third dose, candy-coated. For children and young people.

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5 room house, electric, gas, water — lot 32x120, in good residence district. Price \$4200. Call 802-G or 688.

## PUBLIC AUCTION

On Saturday, December 6th, at 1 o'clock P. M., I will offer all of the Furniture and Household effects of Mary J. Barton for sale at her residence 1536 Jackson Street.

Terms of sale: Cash.

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Administrator

## SPECIALS!

## Just Received:

- (1) Just received: This beautiful 6 room stucco home on the hilltop, near car line, and splendid schools, containing reception hall, living room, with a big open fire-place, built-in seat, dining room with attractive French doors, breakfast room, kitchen and a big closet on the first floor, three very cheerful bedrooms with big closets and complete bath on the second floor. Electricity for lights throughout. Par Quat hot air furnace, basement under the entire home, property newly papered and in splendid repair. Shades and beautiful draperies go with the property. Lot has a frontage of 37 feet, 129 feet deep. Garage with space for two cars.  
The price of this property has been sacrificed \$1000 as the owners are moving to another city. This is the home that will please you. Price .....\$12,500
- (2) A beautiful hilltop home has been sacrificed for a quick sale. Vacant, possession given at once. Modern 6 room bungalow on Grandview avenue, just newly painted, with reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, three big bedrooms on second floor, big closets to each room, linen press in the hall upstairs, electricity for lights, furnace for heat, hardwood floors, basement under the entire home, garage, side drive, storm sheeted, awnings go with the property, lot has a frontage of 35 feet by 133 feet deep. Owners have moved from the city. A beautiful home at a big sacrifice. Price .....\$8250
- (3) Owner has been transferred to another city. Possession given at once. Beautiful 6 room cottage bungalow on Baird avenue, reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, two bedrooms and complete bath which leads off from a back hall, big closets to each bedroom, alcove or dressing room to the back bedroom, one bedroom on

the second floor, electricity for lights throughout, new fixtures, basement under one-half the home, furnace for heat, shower bath in the basement, shades, screens and awnings go with the property. Garage, side drive, lot 40 feet front, 125 feet deep. This is a splendid location, property in splendid condition and priced to sell quickly, on reasonable terms at .....\$8250

- (4) A modern 6 room bungalow on the hilltop, in one of the best residential sections of the city, hardwood floors, coal furnace for heat, reception hall, living room, beautiful dining room, complete bath, linen closet, extra large closets to each bedroom, linen closet in the hall upstairs, extra large kitchen, glass brick mantel, gas logs go with the property, storm sheeted, side driveway, garage. Lot 35 feet front, dwelling practically new.  
This is a beautiful home at a very low price. Terms \$2000 cash, remainder on monthly terms. Price .....\$7750  
A real bargain at .....
- (5) A very beautiful cottage on Offinere street, down town, complete bath, two bedrooms, plenty of big closets, trunk room, built-in clothes press, living room, dining room, large kitchen and pantry, electricity for lights, French doors, two rooms in basement, equipped with hot and cold water, white enameled sink, property all newly painted and papered, slate roof, lot 37 feet front, plenty of space for side driveway. Price .....\$6400
- (6) A beautiful 4 room cottage on Gallia street, near the Garfield school, containing a living room, dining room, bedroom, large kitchen, complete bath, electricity for lights, two rooms in the basement, garage, fine lot, slate surface roof, property in splendid repair, newly papered, new electric fixtures, white enameled sink, all new bath fixtures. Property now renting for \$35 per month in advance. This home is a beauty and one that is sure to please you. Price .....\$5200

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## Local Churchmen Organize New Club at Enthusiastic Meeting; Committees Named

Efforts of local churchmen to form a Club of religious workers bore golden fruit last night when steps were taken to effect an organization of The Portsmouth Inter-Church Men's Club, said to be one of the first of its kind in the country.

Close to 75 men, the majority actively engaged in the work of the church and Sunday school, met in the Elk parlors for this organization meeting addressed by Dr. Frederick Shannon of Chicago. Organization of the new Club progressed to that point where a staff of temporary officers was chosen.

These officers are Chairman Joseph F. Dudley, Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., Secretary, Gilbert F. Dodds of First Christian church; Treasurer, Frank E. Kiefer, Superintendent of Franklin Avenue M. E. Sunday School.

Several committees were appointed to carry on the work of organization and to make recommendations for a permanent organization. The committee appointments were as follows: Nominations: T. D. Smith, John E. Brown, Rev. E. H. Dalley.

Program: Rev. Walter H. Smith, Harry L. Taylor, Henry H. Eccles, Constitution and By-laws: B. F. Kimble, Judge Harry Hall, and William C. Hazlebeck.

The feature of the evening was the remarkable address of Dr. Shannon, noted Chicago divine. Dr. Shannon who is known throughout the country.

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for his messages, was in splendid form last night, and during the time he had the floor, held his audience at high interest.

"Unassessed Real Estate" was the subject of Dr. Shannon's address. "There are some things in the world and in life un-taxable, and valuable, as we are prone to value things upon the tax duplicate," the Chicago minister said. "For instance, in the natural world, there is the sky, the lake, and the park. The tax collector is stumped when he deals with these things. They are non-taxable, and yet their value is in-

estimable. "Then," the speaker continued, "in the human world, there is father and mother, and little children. These are non-taxable. The divine side of life offers Faith and Hope and Love."

Will Meet Bi-Weekly The newly organized club will meet bi-weekly. It was announced last night. The next meeting will be held at the call of the committee on program.

The inter-church men's club idea is getting its start in this city, men who are back of the movement believe. "We have faith that the movement began last night, will not only be practical, but of great service to this city, but that it will prove adaptable to other communities," one of the leaders said last night.

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## Book Musical Comedy

Announcement was made Tuesday by members of the B'Nat R'Rich Lodge that they had booked "Little Jessie James," one of the best musical comedies on the road, for a single performance in the High School Auditorium Tuesday, December 16.

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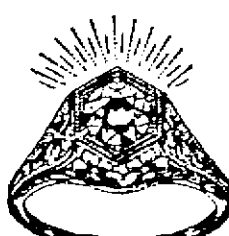
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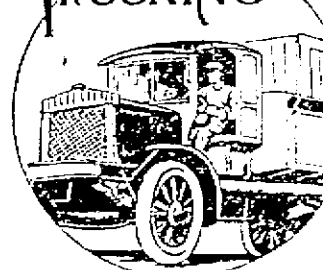
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## BUT WHAT IS KNOWLEDGE?

AMONG the axioms of the old school readers was this: "Knowledge Is Power."  
As a youth we accepted it as a truism and the years and experience since have given no reason for question of it as such.

And that reminds us that we once heard an astute lawyer put this question to a smart witness: "Do you know, you think, what you think you know; or do you think you know, you know what you think?" Thereat the witness was a vast deal puzzled and for once his pert tongue could form no answer.

And with these two remembrances revived there comes to our mind the conundrum: Is there any knowledge and do we know what we know or merely think we know?

In our childish lore the fact of evaporation was taught in the ever wonderful phenomenon that the sun was sucking up the water. Later on we were taught that evaporation was condensed by a cold current of air striking the clouds in which it was carried and so we had rain.

Now comes a navy scientist and says that isn't the case at all—the extent of evaporation has nothing to do either with the copiousness or the frequency of rain.

Which is disappointing enough as an assertion, but the ashes of bitterness, thinking of the good times lost in the dreary drudge of trying to learn something from old books, when he proceeds to prove it.

Yes, he has all the figures, all the data and all the observations to scientifically demonstrate it beyond dispute. For this particular scientist lives on the Pacific coast and his records show that the less sunshine there is in a given season, the continuously lower the temperature there is in a given year, the more rain there is for that year, there being less evaporation, of course, because Old Sol was lazy about sucking up the sea.

It is all right, though, with us. We have got to the age where our learning consists not in knowing what we think we know but in unknowing what we know we think.

It is the children of today that have to go through the hard process of really learning things. They'll find it just as easy to unlearn, to forget, as we do.

## A SERIOUS CONDITION

INVESTIGATION of somewhat more than one hundred oil stations in Cleveland has resulted in the arrest of 29 persons for giving short measure.

Surely the business there must be in a deplorable condition when it is found that one out of every four stations has been practicing fraud upon its customers. The shortage on each sale was not so very great, as a rule, running up somewhat from a pint on four gallons, but mounting up tremendously on the aggregate sales, as it is estimated that motorists were swindled out of a million dollars annually.

The penalty for the individual offense, at its extreme, is six months in jail and a fine of \$500. The extreme ought to be applied for each separate case. No form of cheating could scarce be more reprehensible, for ordinarily the victim is so unsuspecting and there are affected alike both the stranger and he who assumes he is being treated as friend should be.

## ANYWAY AN ACCEPTABLE CHANGE

OWEN D. YOUNG, who has been superintending the putting in operation of the Dawes plan in Germany is back home.

He returns with altogether hopeful and agreeable words. He states that so far Germany has met all reparation payments as called for by the plan and is in shape to meet all those for the coming year.

Better still than all that Mr. Young reports general conditions in that country as improved and an earnestly growing spirit to accept the fortunes of war and meet them fully, so that the Fatherland may again proceed on the way to fixed peace and prosperity.

So much of evil has been charged against Germany, so much of ill intent has been attributed to her, that a pleasant, friendly word spoken of her, by one who should be best informed as to the situation, has altogether pleasant sound to the ear.

## EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO



## NEW YORK DAY-BY-DAY

BY O. O. MCINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Broadway with its quick blondes, its horn sports, men-about-town, wise guys and nutty paps plays havoc with innocence. The young girl who is caught in its cross currents finds the descent is swift.

It was just eight months ago that there came to a producer's office a shy auburn haired girl who had won a beauty prize in her home town in the south. This achievement blazed the ambition for a Broadway career.

Her beauty and naivete struck a responsive chord and she was given a small bit in the chorus. Her life up to this time had been circumscribed to small town gayeties—strawberry suppers, once a week movies and literary societies.

A song writer fell in love with her. He moved in a fast, sporty set and it was among their paths that the girl strayed. She had never had a cocktail or breakfasted at Child's in Columbus Circle at dawn. It was new stuff and she was feeling life.

A friend of her family is a friend of mine. Now and then he invited her to his apartment for a home cooked dinner, asked in substantial friends of his for a healthy atmosphere and tried as a friend of the family to keep in touch with her. Once she came flying from too many cocktails. He tried to reason with her and point out the pitfalls. There were tears, remorse and many promises. Next came a hurriedly scribbled note for a small loan. She had lost her job.

The other day I was in his apartment and he told me of the girl. She had arrived at his place long after midnight in a drizzling rain. She seemed befuddled and finally fell asleep in a chair. Her purse fell open and from it fell a half empty vial of cocaine.

St. Gauden's famous Diana that has pined for so many years on old Madison Square Garden is to be preserved. Arthur Brisbane, the editor, is to place it atop the tower of the thirty story apartment house he is building on Park Avenue and Fifty-Seventh Street. Mr. Brisbane's new building is to be the largest of its kind in town and he will occupy an eighteen room apartment on the nineteenth floor.

Montreal is becoming a great week-end spot for New Yorkers. They go in groups and when they arrive in New York and are restored to consciousness they are usually a bit abashed at having invited all the Northwest Mounted Police or the entire city of Montreal to visit them for a month or so.

At one of those white and sanitary sarcophagi that add to the glitter of Broadway they have installed a massive pipe organ and one may order corn beef and cabbage and devour it to the tune of some heavy Wagnerian bit.

One of the gayest of coon shouters is now being billed with the prefix "Mme." She did it more as a publicity stunt. She is large, buxom and thick ankle and has always been known for her rather jovial comeliness. But since she took on the prefix her friends say she has become very much changed. Her voice has modulated. She has some grand manners. The other day she appeared in a restaurant carrying a forgotten. Of course, it is all for publicity, but somehow most of us like people who are genuine even when they are in the unreal world of the stage.

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## Doc Koko's KOLUM

"The Road's Last Turn"

Let me but live my life from day to day

With forward face and unreluctant soul,

Not hastening toward or turning from the goal,

Not mourning for the things that disappear

In the dead past, or holding back in fear

From what the future veils; but with a whole

And happy heart that pays its toll

To youth and age and journeys on with cheer,

So, let the path wind up the hill or down,

O'er rough or smooth, the journey will be joy,

Still seeking what I sought when but a boy.

Now friendships, high endeavor and a crown.

And thus my heart will keep with courage to the quest,

Knowing the road's last turn will be the best.

—Will H. Fisher, California.

That's Workin' Dr. Ole Ben

An old Irish woman sent a parcel to her son, in which she inclosed the following note:

"Pat, I am sending your waistcoat; to save weight I have cut off all the buttons. Your loving mother."

"P. S.—You will not find them in the top pocket."

Some Kick

A draft of Missouri mules had just arrived at the corral, and one new buck private made the common but and mawkish of approaching too near to the business end of one of them. His comrades caught him on the rebound, placed him on a stretcher and started him for the hospital.

On the way the invalid regained consciousness, gazed at the blue sky overhead, experienced the swaying motion as he was being carried along, and shakily bowed his hands over his sides, only to feel space.

"My gosh!" he groaned. "I ain't even hit the ground yet!"

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There was a young woman named Florence.

Who for kissing professed great abhorrence.

But when she'd been kissed,

And found what she'd missed,

She cried till the tears came in torrents.

Struck a Rich Roast

"Brudder Shinnaw has done mighty well, ain't he, sah. He must be worth all of \$200."

"Yassah! And I was 'quainted wid dat gen'lman when he didn't know which his next chicken was cootin' fum."

Bring Your Cushions With You  
He: "Where did you do most of your skating when you learned."  
She: "I think you're horrid!"  
—Froth.

Well?  
He: (pathetically) Will you think of me, dear?  
She: Constantly! (sighing) I shall be miserable all the time.

Extra Precaution  
An old colored mammy entered the drug store and looked doubtfully at the clerk behind the counter.  
"I spose you all," she began, "that you all are a proper qualified drug-gist?"

"Yes, auntie."

"Have you passed all the zaminations?"

"Certainly."

"Never pizened anybody?"

"Not to my knowledge."

"An you sure dat all the scriptures will do the work?"

"Most assuredly."

"Den you all jest give me two cents wort of insect powder."

"Why, auntie, we would not wrap up such a small amount."

"Never you mind no wrapin' it up; jes' you pour it down my back."

—Will H. Fisher, California.

We Feel Faint

The orchestra was strenuously announcing that there wasn't a single banana in the whole fruit market.

"Do you love dancing," murmured the gipper, holding his partner close.

"Yes," breathed the capper. "I can love when dancing, just the same as when I'm sitting down."

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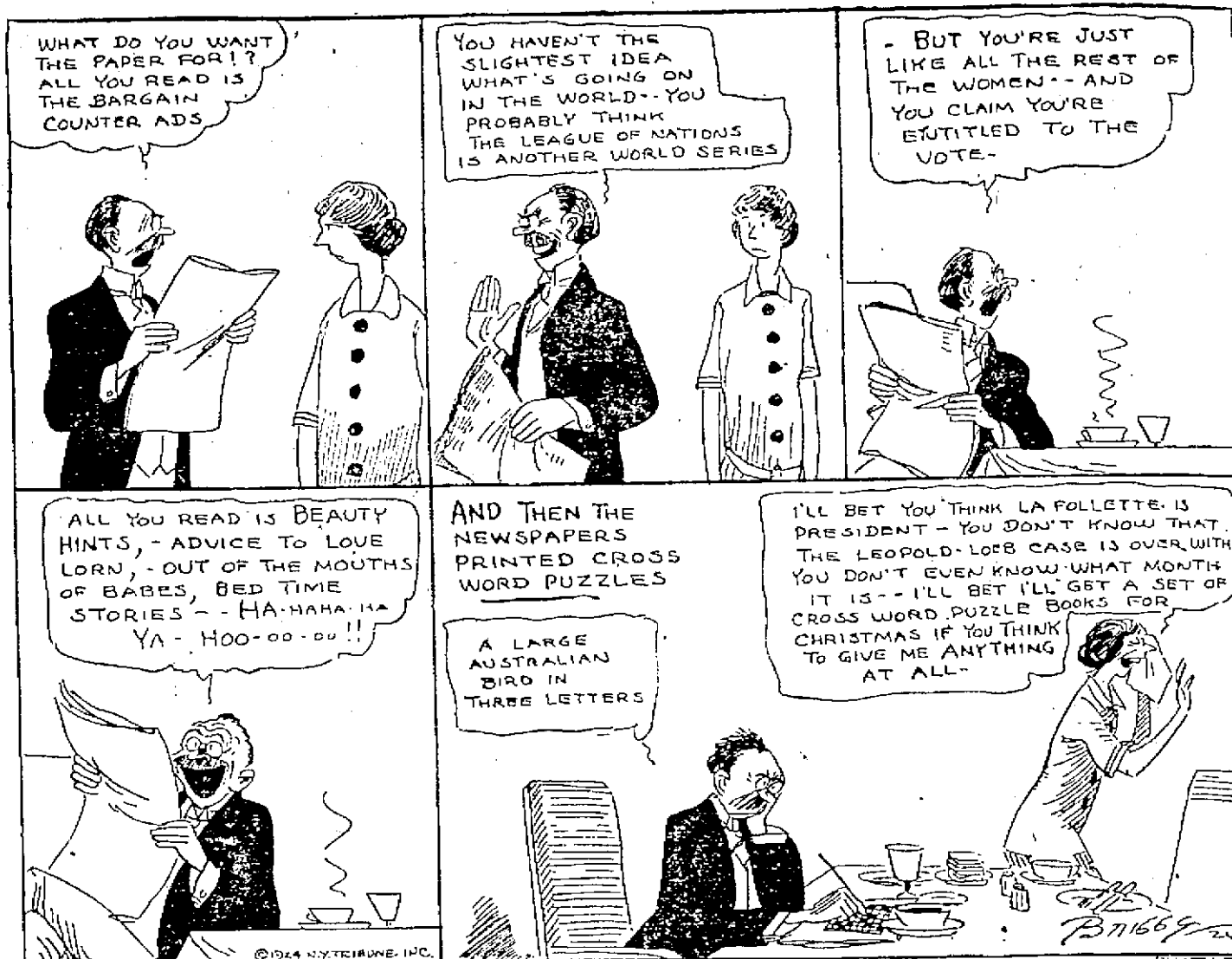
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## AND THEN HE TOOK UP CROSS WORD PUZZLES—BY BRIGGS



He Did  
Here lies the body of Ollie Phil.  
He thought he wouldn't skid.  
But he did!

## Hare To Quit As Dry Leader

COLUMBUS, Dec. 2.—Thomas H. Hare is to retire as Superintendent of the Ohio Anti-Saloon League about the first of January, and he will be succeeded by Rev. Edward J. Moore, assistant General Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of America. Westerville, it was reported today.

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## Big Carnival Next Friday

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club are putting the finishing touches to their plans for the Mid-Season Carnival which they will give at Daessman's Academy, Friday afternoon and evening.

The club has a record of civic activities in Portsmouth which bespeaks the support of the public for their enterprise.

prise of Friday, and no doubt there will be capacity crowds both in the afternoon and evening.

Bridge and 500 will be the diversions in the afternoon, and in the evening dancing will be enjoyed and a junior held. Prizes will be awarded winners and in consolation, at the close of the playing Friday afternoon.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



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